## COMMENDS HIGH SCHOOL

#### Good Spirit Among Teachers and Pupils-Inspector Terry Reports to State Superintendent Cary.

F. J. Blood, clerk of the Board of Education, has received from State Supt. Cary the following very complimentary letter in reference to a recent visit here by H. L. Terry, state inspector of High schools.

Dear Sir :- Inspector Terry's report of his inspection of your high school on January 29th is received. He states that he found the school as a whole in good condition, with a good spirit on the part of both teachers and pupils. His criticisms, none of which were serious, were made to Superintendent Davis and need not be called to your attention. He talked with the individual teachers in regard to their work ters relating to the general school work were discussed and suggestions made.

maintain it well.

you have lately installed.

year, another assistant will be advisfor at most thirty pupils, in addition to the principal. The present laboratory room is quite small for the numper of pupils to be accommodated. It may be that some plan can be made to enlarge the room at a low cost.

Mr. Terry has no further suggestions. I am pleased to know that your school is doing so well and that you are doing | half of the week. so much in providing it with good accommodations. Yours truly, C. P. Cary,

State Superintendent.

#### The Woman's Club.

The next meeting of the Woman's Club will be held Saturday afternoon, at which time the program will be of a patriotic nature. Rev. C. F. Spray, of St. Paul's M. E. church, and Prof. C. B. Bacon, of the Normal, are on the program for addresses, both of which will no doubt be very interesting. Each member of the club is permitted to invite her husband to be present and enjoy the program.

#### Buys Thoroughbred Stock.

S. E. Carley, of Buena Vista, returned last evening from a trip to the couple of weeks at Ft. Atkinson. He went for the purpose of looking over thoroughbred stock, in the cattle line, and secured two Holstein heifers, one at a cost of \$110 and the other at \$120. They are among the finest ever brought to Portage county, and it is a pleasure to note that our farmers are more and more realizing that it is to their advantage to keep good stock.

#### A Mysterious Disappearance.

John F. Shea, of the firm of Thos. Mulien & Co., feels somewhat grieved over the loss of a couple of large dressed chickens, and especially over the fact that he is unable to positively locate the guilty party or parties. These chickens were hung in front of the market a few evenings ago, after baving been nicely dressed, and in less than an hour later it was discovered that they had disappeared. Although certain parties were suspected and a careful search of the neighborhood was made, not even a scent of boiled, baked or fried chicken has yet been found. The chickens were unusually large, weighing 5 or 6 pounds each, and hence the inducement to carry them away was greater than though they were of the common order of fowls.

#### Woodmen Choose Delegates.

At a regular meeting of Camp No. 1448. Modern Woodmen of America. held last week, the following ten delegates were chosen for the county convention of the order to be held at Plover on Wednesday, April 1st: J. J.

Tardiff, John W. Strope, C. W. Simon
2nd ward: F. M. Playman, rep., 3rd son, G. K. Mansur, John Mocogni, R. E. Gee. Bert Preville, B. W. Gee, Chas. Hoffman and John A. Young. As alternate delegates the camp

selected A. R. Redfield, C. W. Swan, W. M. Adams, Chas. Wollenschlager, F. M. Playman, Frank Biron, Frank Cormack, Ed. Krembs, G. E. Bourn, Harry Cartmill.

The state convention of Woodmen will be held at Wausau on the first Wednesday in May, when each county will be entitled to send one delegate for every 500 members or major fraction thereof. It is estimated that test within his own party. This leaves Portage county will be entitled to two the Republican field open to Mr. Copps, delegates at this gathering.

#### The Irish Senator.

"The Irish Senator." a farce comedy

#### For Good Roads.

The special committee on county roads, consisting of Ben Halverson of New Hope, Alfred Dopp of Almond, D. L. Hunter of Eau Pleine, and Albert Timm of Grant, spent a part of the day in the city for the purpose of conferring over the project of improving various thoroughfares, all which naturally lead to and from the county seat. They had conferred with the various other town chairmen, and a program for operations was practically decided upon and will be ready in time to be presented for action at the town meetings on the first Tuesday in April.

#### Several Pleased Patients.

The Stevens Point patients at Sacred Heart Sanitarium, Milwaukee, John Finch, Matt Gross and Mrs. Bert Cushman, are all doing nicely, on the road to recovery and happy with their surand after school met the faculty in a roundings. Mr. Finch was unable to general meeting at which various mat- walk or use his left hand or arm when he was brought there from North Milwaukee less than three weeks ago, but The equipment of the library and last week was able to get about with aboratory is satisfactory and only a considerable of his old time vigor. laboratory is satisfactory and only a considerable of his old time vigor. moderate yearly sum will be needed to Mr. Gross has been at the sanitarium for ten weeks, looks and feels well and Mr. Terry speaks especially of the encouraged, hoping to be able to return fine heating and ventilating plant which to work before long. His family will you have lately installed. return here from Bellingham, Wash., the last of this month, and they will or some other western city.. The usual rule is one assistant Cushman has greatly improved since weeks, he being threatened with pneumonia when he arrived there, but will be able to take up his work again this week. His brother, Rev. Geo. A. Clifford, of Chilton, visited him the latter

#### CIRCUIT COURT JURORS

#### List of Those Selected to Serve at March Term, Which Convenes Monday, March 23d.

The jury commissioners, E. M. Copps, of this city, L. L. Loberg, of Nelsonville, and Harmon Beggs, of Almond, assisted by Frank H. Timm, clerk of the court, drew the following jurors to serve at the coming term of circuit court, which convenes Monday, March

Alban-G. J. Olstad, Geo. Lee. Almond village-Sherman Saunders. Amherst-Ole A. Roe, Henry Olson. Amherst village-D. A. Day, A. C. Gasman. Belmont-J. D. Bacon, Frank Hurd.

Carson-J. C. O'Brien, Chas. Alberts. -r enx Eau Pleine-N. P. Swanson,

Grant-John G. Timm. Hull-F. Wagner.

Lanark-Geo. Morgan, Thos. Riley. New Hope-Geo. Diver. Pine Grove-Geo. Ameigh, O. Water-

Sharon-Peter Bungert, Geo. Somers, Geo. Gibbs. Stockton-Timothy H. Leary, Martin Heffron.

Stevens Point-Louis Port, E. E. Wells, Fred Haller, B. S. Ellenwood, Frank Oryall, W. S. Young, John W. Ball, John Boursier, B. W. Gee.

#### Nomination Papers on File.

A complete list of nomination papers filed with City Clerk Finch up to noon today on behalf of candidates to be voted for at the primaries to be held March 24th, is given below: Mayor-P. H. Cashin, dem.; E. D.

Glennon, dem. Treasurer-F. E. Boyer, dem.; P. A.

Maloney, dem.

Assessors-John Gornowicz, dem. M. Kieliszewski, dem.; L. P. Moen,

Comptroller-G. D. Aldrich, dem. A. J. Cunneen, dem.; J. E. Rogers,

Justices of the Peace-J. B. Carpenter, rep.; G. L. Park, dem.
Aldermen-E. J. Phiffner, dem., 2nd ward; J. W. Ash, dem., 3rd ward; F.

ward; Paul Lukaszevig, dem., 4th ward; J. B. Carpenter, rep., 5th ward. Besides the above, papers are in circulation for E. M. Copps, republican, for mayor: C. E. Wert, republican, treasurer: Geo. E. Vaughn, rep., assessor, and Jas. Beasley, rep., comp-

troller. Dr. J. M. Bischoff, whose name was mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for mayor some weeks ago, decided to withdraw after the name of E. M. Copps was spoken of, not wishing to take part in a conas to the primaries.

#### Open Winter in Nebraska.

Thos. F. McAleavey, former local in three acts, with Jas. L. McCabe in manager in this city for the Wisconsin the title role, comes to the Grand next | Telephone company, but who now holds Monday evening. It is described as a like position with the Nebraska Tele- Farland & Murat are attorneys for the record breaker in the laugh-provoking phone company at South Omaha. Neb., line, a constant and unending stream remembered The Gazette with a valufrom the first rise until the final fall of able "valentine," the other day, and in the curtain. Mr. McCabe is so well addition thereto sends his friends in known as one of the best of American Stevens Point the following message: comedians, that his name has become a "We have had an open winter here so now the owner of the Dessert Lumber county, to Veronica Rutta, Carson. synonym for the best of comedy per- far and no snow, I below zero being the | Co. water power at Mosince, the transformances, and his yearly visits thru- coldest night. The ice harvest has fer having been made last Saturday out this section of the country are stopped, 10 inches thick being the and the consideration is said to have eagerly looked forward to by his hosts best, so I guess unless we get colder been about \$60,000. The water power of friends. His manager, Mr. Jee weather the people in Omaha will pay at Mosinee will be developed to furnish

#### INSPECT THE BREWERY

#### Point Brewing Co .- Stockholders Hold Angual Meeting.

Stockholders of the Stevens Point organization is excellent.

same was accepted. Mr. Eiden- ing his work here, with the missio Mitschen explained that he desired to tached, more arduous than before. take this step owing to the fact that it Father Schwaeble is of an inventive is very difficult for him to attend the turn of mind, a mechanic of no little monthly meetings of directors, which ability, and in addition to his priestly are held during the afternoon, and con- duties, devoted his spare moments to sequently he often is unable to reach making improvements about the church

W. E. Kingsbury were elected as to him from a financial standpoint be-directors of the company, the two first fore his accident, and especially thereif there should be an increase next locate permanently in Stevens Poiont named for three years and the latter after. He will return to the east, howfor one year. The salary of the man- ever, with his old time vim and deterager for the ensuing year was placed mination to work earnestly and faithshe commenced taking treatment. at \$2,000, and that of the brewmaster fully in the vineyard of his Maker, fol-Rev. M. H. Clifford, of Oshkosh, has at \$1,600. N. Gross was re-elected as lowed by the well wishes of friends, been at the sanitarium for about three manager and Louis Hartnig as brew-

> inspect the brewery, and partake of ley enquiring as to his health and statlunch and refreshments, the date for ing that he would be pleased to have which inspection will be set by the him return to the New York diocese. directors, but will not be until later in This the pastor determined to do at the season, when the weather is more favorable for a visit of this kind, and his farewell sermon on Sunday. due notice will be given through the tendered to the officers for their inter-avenue, New York city, a parish estabest and labors, the directors met and lished in 1903, and now has two priests elected officers as follows. :

President-Barney Polebitski. Vice Pres.—W. E. Kingsbury. Secretary—N. Gross. Treasurer-Chas. A. Schenk.

#### Amherst Couple Married.

Merritt Penticoff and Miss Lillie Emma Diggles, both of Amherst, were married at the Baptist parsonage in this city at 7:30 o'clock last Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Blake and the witnesses were Miss Alice Packard and Mrs. J. S. Waugh. The young couple spent the evening here, returning to Amherst on the midnight train. The groom is a telegraph operator for the Central company in our neighboring village, is an energetic, intelligent young man, highly spoken of by all who share his acquaintance. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. N. Hoag, of Amherst, formerly of this city, and spent practically all her life in Stevens Point previous to removing away two or three years ago. For several years she was a member of the Baptist church choir. and was popular with friends and associates, being a young lady of exceptional worth and character. They will make their home at Amherst.

#### THE PLAINTIFF LOSES.

#### Judge Murat Finds For the Defendant in the Case of Mrs. Emma Yorton vs. Estate of S. A. Sherman.

After having the case of Mrs. Emma Yorton vs. the estate of S. A. Sherman under advisement for a couple of weeks. Judge Murat has announced his decision, and it is in favor of the defendant and against the plaintiff. Mrs Yorton, whose first husband, Clarence Sherman, was a son of the late S. A. Sherman, sued to recover the sum of \$1,180, which amount she claimed to be due ber for services rendered, namely Mr. Sherman, remaining thereon until May, 1897. That in the meantime certain improvements had been made on cessor has not as yet been appointed. the land by the Yortons, and there was some difficulty about the value thereof and in getting them to vacate. Fin- Music.

ally, however, Yorton was paid \$34 in The Fight for Free Art. Lloyd Brooks full settlement of all claims and demands for labor, services, rents, etc., and that Mrs. Yorton was present when the settlement was made with her husband. The claim made at this time. largely excessive for the services per-D. I. Sicklesteel is attorney for the

plaintiff, and has given notice that he will appeal to the circuit court. Mcestate of S. A. Sherman.

#### Buys Mosinee Water Power.

## WILL RETURN TO THE EAST

STEVENS POINT, WIS., FEB. 19, 1908.

#### The Public to Be Invited by the Stevens | Rev. E. M. Schwaeble, Pastor of Churches at Custer and Ellis, Will Return to New York Diocese.

Rev. E. M. Schwaeble, who has been Brewing Co. met in annual meeting at pastor of St. Mary's church at Custer the brewery office, Tuesday afternoon, for the past two years and three at which time 561 shares of the total months, with St. Martin's church at 7362 shares sold were represented. Ellis as a mission, preached his fare-The capital stock of the company is well sermon last Sunday and will return \$100,000, but stock to the amount of to the east in a few days. Before com-\$26,350 remains unsold. The reports ing here he was located in New York of the treasurer and secretary showed city, in Archbishop Farley's diocese, an itemized account of the extensive and secured a temporary leave of abimprovements that have been made by sence, with the probability of making should have been remembered more the company during the past year, the plant being practically new throughout, and the financial condition of the last May met with an accident by getting his leg caught in a gasoline engine N. Eiden-Mitschen, of Ellis, tendered shaft, necessitating the amputation of his resignation as a director, and the one foot a few months later, and mak-same was accepted. Mr. Eiden- ing his work here, with the mission at-

home before 9 or 10 o'clock in the and rectory, including a complete elec-evening. Barney Polebitski, C. A. Schenk and much pride, although it was an expense both in and out of the church.

A few days ago Father Schwaeble It was decided to invite the public to received a letter from Archbishop Faring that he would be pleased to have once, and, as stated above, preached

He will be located at St. Anthony's local press. After thanks had been church, East 166th street and Prospect and a parochial school, the latter built in 1905, which is in charge of five Sisters of Christian Charity, and in one of the best resident districts of the great city.

#### Amherst Farmer Dies.

Carl Lutz, who resided two miles west of Amherst Junction, died at his home on Sunday morning, Feb. 16th, aged 57 years, 9 months and 16 days. Mr. Lutz was born in Germany and came to America when a young man. He is survived by his wife and six children, four sons, Emil, Fred, Edward and Ernest, all of Amherst, and wo daughters, Mrs. Anna Youkas of Ruena vista and lives at home. He also leaves one brother, Geo. Lutz of Almond. The funeral took place from the house at one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, with interment in Greenwood cemetery, Amherst. Mr. Lutz was an upright and honest man, whose friends were as many as his acquaintances.

#### Normal Notes.

Rev. Stemen visited school last Fri-Pres. Sims attended a school meeting

at Mauston, Saturday. Miss Sadie Rogers, who had been ill at her home in Viroqua, has returned to school.

Dr. Southwick spoke to the school Tuesday morning on the subject of tuberculosis.

Saturday evening, Feb. 22nd, at 8:00 p. m. Admission, 15 and 25 cents. Miss Georgia Ridgman was absent last week, being detained at her home in Grand Rapids on account of her

father's illness. Misses Lillie Mitby and Evora Dumez, of Cashton, Wis., are visiting with their sisters, Misses Edna Mitby and Petula Dumez of the Senior class.

Miss Sawyer, who has held the posiin holding possession of certain land in tion as librarian for a little over a the town of Plover owned by the de-year, and who resigned a short time fendant, at the rate of \$1 per day. In ago to accept a similar but better payhis decision Judge Murat finds that in ing position at Lansing, Mich., left hope for recovery. 1892 S. A. Sherman, being in litigation Saturday to assume her new duties. over the title to some land, built a The student body regret very much to house on the property and Herbert see her leave, as they have appreci-Yorton and wife, Emma, went into ated her valuable service and assist possession under an agreement with ance very much. The good wishes of both faculty and students go with her ing Friday evening. to her new field of labor. Her suc-

for Feb. 21, at 2:45 p. m.:

The Voyage of the American Fleet Roosevelt's Special Message to Con-

gress.....Ethel Breakey Music... the court therefore finds, should be Hughes of New York. Etta Christensen

disallowed for the reason that it is Taft of Ohio..... Ervin Peart An Original Story ..... Katherine Hall formed, and for the further reason that Washington's Greatness. Alice Keegan it is barred by the statutes of limita- Music....

#### Marriage Licenses. August M. Bischoff, Sharon, to Ther-

esa Jagodzewski, Stockton. Carl M. Hermanson to Hilma M. Johnson, both of New Hope. Levi Zeremski to Jennie Yach, both of Dewey. Robert Ferdon to Sarah A. Stoddard, both of Linwood. The Wausau Street Railway Co. is Albert Trochinski, Warren, Waukesha

#### Entertained at Cards. The Knights of Columbus gave a cemtery.

very enjoyable whist party to the mem-Spears, has this year provided him with for their lemonade next season. I like from 4,000 to 6,000 horsepower and will bers and their ladies, Monday evening, who was fermerly in the train service was necessary to telegraph to headspears, has this year provided nim with the best supporting company he has ever had and special scenery for every act of the play. He states: "I have left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing to occur in the tracks of the St. Figure left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing undone to make the left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing undone to make the left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing undone to make the left nothing undone to make the entire left nothing undone to make the left performance a most perfect one and their own, arranged to have a large hope to eventually extend their line to Mrs. G. M. Houlehan and Peter M. the Central on the tracks of the St. the fact that I have succeeded and that hall and club rooms. They give a dance the south and it is probable that cars Adams the consolations. The same Paul road, Allen lost one of his legs, it the public appreciates my efforts is fully attested by the crowded houses we are playing to everywhere we go." the same playing the consolations. The same playing the consolations in the probable that cars playing the consolations. The same playing the consolations. The same playing the consolations in the probable that cars playing the consolations. The same playing the consolations in the probable that cars playing the consolations in the probable that cars playing the consolations. The same playing the consolations are consolations. The same playing the consolations are consolations. The same playing the consolations in the probable that cars playing the consolations are consolations. The same playing the consolations are consolations and the consolations are consolations. The same playing the consolation will give a dancing party being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line to organization will give a dancing party being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line to organization will give a dancing party being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line being cut off between the hip and knee, will run over an interurban line being cut off

#### Contesting a Will.

The will of the late Agnes Sczymanski, of the town of Plover, is being contested in probate court today, with Park & Carpenter as attorneys for the estate and Owen & Hanna for the contestants. The matter is heard before Judge Murat in the circuit court room, a number of witnesses being present. The late Mrs. Sczymanski was possessed of a limited amount of property, the bulk of which she left to a crippled son, while one daughter was given \$100 and the rest of the children \$1 each. Those who received only \$1 are contesting the last act of their aged parent and will endeavor to show that they generously.

#### THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

#### Mr. and Mrs. H. Ehr, Parents of Rev. Henry J. Ehr, Observe Fistieth Anniversary of Marriage.

Rev. Henry J. Ehr, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic congregation, had the honor of officiating at a high mass offered up in this church last Sunday morning at 8 o'clock in commemoration of the fiftieth or golden wedding cele-bration of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilarius Ehr of Portage. The venerable couple visited with their son until Tuesday morning, when they were called home by a message announcing the illness of their daughter, who fell and hurt herself quite badly. A reunion of the family, which includes six sons and one daughter, will be held at Portage some time during the coming summer.

Mr. Ehr is a native of Oberweiss. Prussia, where he was born 75 years He came to America in 1854 and for the following eight years lived at Medina, N. Y., where he married Miss Elizabeth Eberhart on Feb. 16, 1858. The family came to Columbia county in 1862, locating on a farm three miles west of Portage, where Mr. and Mrs. Ehr made their home continuously until last fall, when they rented the property and moved to town. Mrs. Ehr is a Bavarian by birth, her natal city being Nesselwang, close by the Alps. Both are in the enjoyment of excellent health and it is the sincere wish of many friends here and elsewhere that they will live to enjoy many more wedding anniversaries.

#### All Former Residents Invited. The home-coming committee met

again last Monday evening, at which time the chairmen of several of the sub-committees gave an estimate of the amount of cash that will be required to pay expenses in their respective branches, including decorations, printing, music, invitations, etc., and the chairman of the finance committee, D. E. Frost, will get to work at once securing subscriptions. This great event promises to be the gala week in Stevens Point for the year 1908, and will not only commemorate our fiftieth anniversary as a city and the fiftieth anniversary of the building and occu-pation of the Old White School, but a home-coming of all former residents who can possibly return to renew old friendships and visit the companions of their youth or earlier days of their womanhood and manhood.

Invitations will be sent to all former residents whose names can be secured, and cards will be left at the drug stores and other business places, so that all who have friends who lived here in the past, even though but for Din't forget the oratorical contest a short time, can write their names and present addresses. These will then be turned over to the committee, whose members will see that invitations and other announcements are sent. Not being able to give the desired time to the position of chairman of the printing committee, J. W. Dunegan is succeeded by Geo. B. Nelson.

#### More Locals.

Peter LeMieux, who has been very low at his home on Water street for the past few weeks, remains in about the same condition, with little or no The recently organized Poultry Asso-

ciation will hold their next regular meeting on Wednesday evening of next week, it being postponed from the com-There will be Norwegian services at

Trinity Lutheran church, corner Braw-Following is the rhetorical program ley street and Strongs avenue, next Sunday morning at 10:30. No evening service. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 9:30.

Arthur L. Voyer, the Junction City hotel man, visited in town Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Voyer is branching out in a business way, having just opened a grocery store in the Grummel building, a short distance north of his hotel.

Fred J. Carpenter went to Plover, Monday morning, returning in the evening, appearing as an attorney for the defendant in a civil case before Justice Clark and a jury. After the testimony was introduced, arguments made, etc., the jury brought in a verdict of no cause for action. Mr. and Mrs. John Stankie, 325

Washington street, mourn the death of their little daughter. Agnes, aged 1 year, 2 months and 14 days, who passed away on Monday, the immediate cause being convulsions. The funeral took place from St. Peter's church this morning, with interment in the parish Elwin R. Allen, of Fond du Lac.

#### JUST ANOTHER SURPRISE

#### Claude W. Eagleburger and Miss Alma L. Johnson Were Married Last Saturday Evening.

The Gazette takes pleasure in an-

nouncing the fact that Claude W. Eagleburger and Miss Alma L. Johnson were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Johnson, 206 N. Third street, at 9:30 o'clock last Saturday evening. The young couple have kept their secret well during the past few days and the first public announcement of the important event is made through these columns this afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Blake, of the Baptist church, with Will and Miss Jennie Johnson, brother and sister of the bride, as groomsman and brides-maid. The ceremony was witnessed by the members of the respective families only, and following the extending of congratulations and well wishes, a wedding supper was served by the bride's mother.

The older sister of the bride, Mrs. Geo. L Margraf, was married a few weeks ago, but the fact of her marriage, it will be remembered, was not known or announced for a couple of weeks after the ceremony took place. The young ladies, it seems, as well as their respective husbands, enjoyed surprising their friends, but the well wishes of all who know them are none the less hearty and sincere.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Eagleburger, who live on S. Church street, near the city limits, and he has resided here most of his life, for the past 17 years. While still a junior in the High school, Claude took up other lines of work and for the past five years has held the position of mailing clerk in the local postoffice. He is a young man of sterling character, strict integrity and of a social, affable disposition, one capable of making a success in this life. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and is a most charming and pleasing young lady. She has been employed by Miss Frost at the fish fly factory for the past several years and is as industrious and painstaking as she is good looking and intelligent.

Mr. and Mrs. Eagleburger will make their home with the bride's parents at 206 N. Third street for the present, but expect to commence housekeeping in the spring.

#### Business Men's Monthly Meeting.

Cards announcing the next regular meeting of the Business Men's Association, to be held at the public library building, Thursday evening of this be served by the Episcopal ladies at 6:30, and Pres. John F. Sims, of the Normal, will deliver an address on Abraham Lincoln. Weber's orchestra will furnish music, and various committees will report.

#### MISSIONARY MEETING

#### Presbyterian Ladies Elect Officers and Enjoy a Tea, Last Thursday Afternoon, at the Church.

The annual meeting of ladies belonging to the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was attended by 54 members, a remarkably large gathering when it is taken into consideration that, so many families are suffering with colds, grippe and other "seasonable" afflictions. The business session was held in the church parlors last Thursday afternoon, when reports for the year were read and approved and the following officers chosen for the coming twelve months:

President-Mrs. John A. Stemen. Vice Pres.—Mrs. W. H. Coye. Secretary—Mrs. W. C. Huff. Treasurer-Mrs. E. M. Copps.

The ladies then adjourned to the Sunday school room, which had been prettily decorated with flags and hearts in memory of the immortal Lincoln and St. Valentine, and where a "missionary tea" had been prepared under the direction of Mrs. Coye and Mrs. H. J. Finch. Every item on the menu was well prepared and well served, even to the last course, which comprised a "literary salad."

The society will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon of this week with Mrs. O. O. Little on Clark street, when the Indian question will be discussed under the leadership of Dr. Mary Patch.

#### High School Notes.

The basket ball team will play the Merrill Highs at the local gym. Friday evening.

Mr. Davis spoke Monday morning on a bulletin which he received from Madison regarding the presence of tuberculosis in cattle.

At rhetoricals Thursday morning Roy Cashin gave a talk on the United States navy and Vincent Shippiy spoke on the Tramp Problem.

The Pretzels were defeated at Knowlion Saturday evening by a score of 35 to 19. Those who played for the Pretzels were Guy Love, Archibald Fulton, Will Taylor and Fay Skinner. The train which was to convey the

basket ball team and the rooters to Junction City an their way to Wausau. Friday evening, was an hour late. In order not to miss making connections at Junction City, the crowd was loaded into a caboose of a freight train. It Weltman, Ray Welch, Roy Curran.

To Exchange.

A two story frame dwelling, new and large, at Aurora, Illinois, for a Wausau, Wis. farm of 60 to 80 acres in Portage W. F. Thayer, county, Wis. Aurora, Ill.

The outlook seems quite fair for the long expected split in the Republican Lee Betlach, at Mercy Hospital, last party. This thing has been impending ever since President Roosevelt took the helm and began on the policy of regeneration and retorm that was not et all eration and reform that was not at all week on account of grippe. to the liking of many of the long established leaders of the party. Radical as some of the preachings of the Democratic party seemed in 1896, they were radical simply because they were honest and meant what has since come to be known as the "square deal" and is accepted as a Roosevelt if not a Republican principle. President Roose-velt wanted more of the square deal W. S. Powell, local manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. spent a day or to get them he had to appropriate doc- on business. trines that had long been tenets of the considering the practices and training ner, 310 N. Second street. tf of many of the leaders he had to deal Miss Loa Wilmott, daughter of U. F. Ohio, and the charge has been made that the President has used federal patronage in that the charge in the charge patronage in that state to further the C. C. Parlin, principal of the Wauhe has to some extent. Perhaps he days in Stevens Point, the last of the has not done so in nearly such a prolican enemies and Republican predeces- etc. sors. What the exact facts are, it is hardly worth while discussing. The one fact remaining is that Senator assault, was adjourned in Justice Carcharging him with improper political of not guilty and gave bail for his apmethods. Such a charge was enter- pearance. taining, coming from the senior senator from Ohio. But it was cheered, showing the temper of the Senate where President Roosevelt is concerned. A split of the President and the Senate R. McCormick, Bancroft; O. F. Peterat this juncture means certainly a son, Nelsonville; Fred Sorenson and T. halving split of the party. It is a J. Warner, Rosholt. cheerful thing to contemplate for the present minority, and there is little doubt if the Democratic party will get together and stay together they will for several months. Anton is just re-have much more than a fighting chance covering from a siege with blood poistogether and stay together they will of carrying the next national election.

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#### ANXIOUS WAGNER.

#### The First Performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden.

In Ludwig Frankenstein's Wagner year book Gustav Kietz tells this story in connection with the first performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden: "On the day of the first performance Wagner asked me to meet him in front of the theater after the box office had been opened, so that he could give me and my friend Schuster, the butcher, tickets for the performance. Wagner was in a state of great excitement, and when he gave me the two tickets Heine whispered to me, "Take some He watched the people as they came to Chicago last Thursday night on a business trip. Since purchasing this property a few weeks ago, one went in he would make some remark to his wife which showed his satisfaction. I had to go within, but I shall never forget the childish joy of the composer when he saw groups enter the house and the disappointment when others passed the open doors. I thought of it even that evening when the enthusiasm was the greatest. How happy Wagner and his wife must have been at the following two performances, when the house was so filled that even his relatives, who had come to Dresden for that purpose, could not be admitted to the theater!"

#### THE DESERT SANDS.

Why the Arabs of Sahara Lose the Use of Their Eyes.

"I shall winter in the Sahara," said a traveling man. "With a caravan I shall traverse under a blinding sun and an endless plain of snow white sand, but none of my Mohammedan attendants will wear any kind of shade over his eyes.

"Against that dazzling glare the In white linen, and even their ears among retail dealers in this section of question whether or not the return to will keep the sun out of their faces.

"Wondering about this, I said one day to the kaid of an Algerian village: "Why don't you Arabs wear a cap of some sort? You live in the world's worst sun glare, but neither fez nor turban under any circumstances has a peak.'

"'The Koran,' the kaid answered, forbids all true believers to shade their eyes. Obeying the Koran implicitly, we dwellers in the desert avoid like poison brims to our headgear. In consequence there is more blindness among us than among any other people in the world."-Los Angeles Times.

## Drowned Manuscript.

James Russell Lowell, the first editor of the Atlantic, was walking across Cambridge bridge when his hat blew off and fell into the Charles with half a ceased mother. A letter received by tion to the articles constantly appeardozen or more manuscripts with which members of the family a short time ing in various journals on municipal it was freighted and which he was re- ago, brought the pleasant information problems, much useful information turning to the Boston office. A boatman recovered the hat, but the scattered manuscripts perished in those waves of oblivion. "If they had been accepted articles, it wouldn't have lights. Returns from an estate been quite so bad, for," said he, "we left in Germany will soon be divided clined to believe that the subject "Betfor fresh copies. But how can you tell wealthy person in that country, and a self respecting contributor that his Mr. Abb is one of them. manuscript has been not only rejected, but sent to a watery grave?'-J. T. Trowbridge in Atlantic.

this repulsive disease. Ask Dr. Shoop rolled, 40; average daily attendance, club. of Racine, Wis., to mail you free, a 18. Those present every day are Clara Every member of every club should A residence and two lots at the cortrial box of his Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Ziolkowski and Helen Blarek. Those be free to compete, and the winning ner of Clark street and Michigan average is worth your knowing. Write today, Dominick Bembeneck. Don't suffer longer. All dealers.

#### More Locals

Attend the Wausau Business College, Mrs. B. F. McMillan, of McMillan, left for an extended visit to the east,

a few days ago.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Edgar Williams, of McDill, returned home last week after a visit of several tory survey. months among relatives in Iowa and Minnesota.

and more regeneration and honesty and two at Waupaca, the last of the week,

The six-room dwelling at 222 Wash-Democratic party. His search for ington street, North Side, is for sale honesty was rash and even headlong at a big bargain. Enquire of Ed. Raiz-

with, and there has arisen a schism in Wilmott, a former Stevens Pointer but the party that promises to grow more now living at Amherst, was married

candidacy of Secretary Taft. Perhaps sau High school, spent two or three week, coming to visit our public and nounced fashion as many of his Repub- Normal schools, consult with teachers,

Foraker arose in the Senate last week penter's court, last Friday, for two sure to attend this meeting; bring all and attacked the President violently, weeks. The defendant entered a plea your family with you and urge your

Those from this county who have attended the Dairy School Scoring exhibition at Madison during the past few weeks are G. E. Jordan, Amherst; O.

Anton Urbanowski returned last week from Neillsville, where he had been employed in a furniture factory who at one time was a resident of oning, caused by the bite of a dog, which buried its teeth in his fingers.

John Kussman, of Stockton, favored Mr. Kussman is one of the many suc-Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, cessful young farmers in our county, who believe in modern, up-to-date keeping the best of stock.

A. J. Berry, who resides over near the northeast corner of the town of Buena Vista, spent a few hours in the much larger next season, to include a modern silo, and when complete will be affairs in the state. one of the largest in the county.

Portage Democrat: Miss Happy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walker of Kilbourn, who is taking treatment at a tuberculosis sanitarium at Stevens as professor of biology in the Stevens Point, is improving rapidly and a com- Point Normal school, last June, has plete recovery is assured. She has been called to Ripon college to accept gained five pounds in weight, has a the same place in that institution.

Mr. Fidler has made a number of very desirable improvements and is now prepared to give his guests up-to-date ser-

Frank Boyanowski wishes to announce that the lease given August Maslowski on his wagon scales on the public square has been cancelled because the latter refused to operate them. Hereafter Mr. Boyanowski will operate the scales himself, and guaranteeing correct weights, he solicits the patronage of the public.

join the Ringling Bros. circus, which baton work and contortionist acts. results are feared.

the roofs being of the latter material. while the machinery is strictly modern.

#### Secured a Branch Theatre.

A. W. Carle, the Ideal proprietor of this city, will open a branch in Milwaukee, having secured a lease on what is istration of neighboring towns or counknown as Park theatre, 431 Mitchell ties. It will be found especially helpstreet, on the South Side. He left for ful to base these comparisons upon that city last Friday, accompanied by population, wealth, and industrial conditions,—for instance, a comparison of municipal administration between a under the personal supervision of Grant mining town and an agricultural centre, Bourn, but Mr. Carle will continue as would be unprofitable. On the other manager and proprietor.

He May Be Rich. Frank Abb, one of our local carpenter contractors, spent a part of last week at Manitowoc, where he assisted in settling up the estate of his recently dethat a relative on his father's side who may be procured by letters from town died in England some time ago, left an officials in other places and from friends estate valued at \$5,000,000, and that the living at a distance. heirs are being located as rapidly as possible, so that they may present their ing a greater interest in the subject might with some grace ask the writers among descendants of a moderately

#### School Report.

#### INSTITUTE IN BELMONT

The farmers of Portage County Have Another Opportunity to Atland an Institute.

The second farmers' institute to be held in Portage county this winter will be the conductor, with the following assistants: J. L. Herbst, Sparta; H. D. Griswold, West Salem; E. L. Ader-Mrs. C. L. Sawyer, of Neenah, arrived in the city, the last of the week, for a visit with Mrs. W. W. Mitchell.

Massistants. J. L. Herbst, Sparter, 11.

D. Griswold, West Salem; E. L. Aderhold, Neenah, and W. O. Hotchkiss, Madison, chief of highway division, Wisconsin geological and natural his-

The program is as follows: THURSDAY MORNING, 10 O'CLOCK Soils..... Mr. Scott AFTERNOON, 1:30 O'CLOCK Silo and Silage.......Mr. Scott Dairy Cows......Mr. Griswold EVENING, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Musical and literary program prepared by local committee Farmers and Education ..... Mr. Scott FRIDAY MORNING. 9:30 O'CLOCK. Bovine Tuberculosis.....Mr. Scott Herd Records......Mr. Griswold Stable Sanitation.....Mr. Aderhold

AFTERNOON, 1:30 O'CLOCK Poultry......Mr. Herbst Good Roads......Mr. Hotchkiss Good Feeding......Mr. Scott The Farmers' Institute is a school

neighbors to attend. Engage in the discussion freely. The humblest man's experience counts for as much as any other man's, provided

for farmers and their families. Be

#### Was in Timber and Land Business.

it contains a helpful lesson.

In mentioning the recent death of Paul H. Sanborn at the Palmer House, Chicago, the Hurley Miner contains this information concerning the deceased. Stevens Point:

During his residence here he was engaged in the timber and land business and did not come much in active business or social contact with our peo-The Gazette with a visit last Saturday. ple. Late last fall he concluded to move his home and business headquarters to Duluth, and with that end in view sold his home and recently the methods, realizing that they are more office fixtures and household goods profitable, as well as in raising and were shipped to that city and the family expected to follow as soon as his health would permit. But these plans were not destined to be fulfilled. Death entered into the account and would not Buena Vista, spent a few hours in the be denied. He leaves a wife and stepcity last Saturday. A large barn built son of his immediate family and is also by Mr. Berry last season, will be made survived by several brothers who are prominent in business and political

#### Goes to Ripon College.

Prof. Geo. A. Talbert, who resigned good appetite and is in excellent spirits. He succeeds Prof. Millikin, who goes A. J. Fidler, the new proprietor of the Arizona on account of the ill health of his wife. Prof. Talbert is a gradthe Hopkins Sea Side laboratory at the. Leland Stanford University and also one year at Berlin, Germany. In these great institutions of learning he has pursued his studies under several of the noted scientists of the age and goes to Ripon well prepared to take up the work laid down by Prof. Millikin.

Civic Work in the Clubs. It is admitted by all that we cannot proceed effectively for civic improve-Arndt Augustad will soon leave to ment without a more thorough knowlsess. Therefore, our first recommenda-N. Reiland, president of the Reiland revenues and expenditures of their own since been dressing about two car loads the most effective as well as the weakwill be protected. Nothing, though, the state. Their buildings are contawn or county, for total revenues from will keep the sun out of their faces. penditure than those at present author-

Before reaching any conclusion upon this query, it will be found necessary to make an investigation of the adminhand, a manufacturing town in Wisconsin could [gain points of considerable value by comparing its own conditions with those of manufacturing towns of similar size in other states We can learn much from the central west, much from New England. much from our neighboring states. In addi-

What is the best means of stimulatjust outlined? For ourselves, we are inter Town Government" would be most desirable for a competitive essay. We should like to see our clubs competing annually with essays of this kind, with a jury of award composed of experts, and with some recognition of merit in month ending Fed. 13th. Number of winner, or possibly a fine picture to a If you have catarrh, rid yourself of days taught, 20; number of pupils en- public school selected by the winning

#### Had Suffered for Years.

The funeral of Edward Skowronski was held from St Peter's church last Friday morning, Rev. L. J. Pescinski officiating, and was largely attended. While Mr. Skowronski had been a suffered with tuberculosis for years, he was confined to his bed only about five weeks before the final dissolution. Several years ago he was thrown from a wagon, injuring his shoulder and lungs, and to this is due the origin of the cause of his death.

The deceased was only 32 years of age, born in Germany, but had lived in this city since childhood. He had followed the butcher's trade since old enough to work, and at the time of his death was proprietor of a market on North Second street, in the 4th ward. He is survived by a widow and three children, besides five step-children. Crop Rotation ...... Mr. Herbst His mother, four brothers and a sister are also left, all of whom except one. Nick, are residents of Portland, Oregon. Those who reside in the far west are Mrs. Skowronski, John, Vincent, Stanislaus and Miss Sarah. The mother and Stanislaus arrived here a few days before the final dissolution. Mr. Skowronski was a member of the Sacred Heart Society of St. Peter's church and was an excellent citizen.

#### Died in Buena Vista.

Mrs. Solomon Bennett, another of the pioneers of Portage county, having resided here since girlhood, passed away at her home last Friday morning. in the 71st year of her age.

Ruth A. Wilcox was born at Marshall Oneida county, N. Y., May 15, 1837, and came to Wisconsin and to this county when quite young. She was among the first school teachers in t e town, and in fact in the county, working for a mere pittance compared with the salaries paid at present, but managed to save something from this to assist in starting out in life after her marriage to Solomon Bennett on Nov. 18, 1857. They were among the prosperous farmers of Buena Vista for many years, owning a large and well cultivated farm, and were the parents of five children, two of whom, Mrs. Sam Hinjum, who lives on the old homestead, and Mrs. Albert Chady, of Waupaca county, survive. Mr. Bennett died several years ago. She is also survived by her aged mother, Mrs. Mary Eastman Wilcox, who is in the 95th year of her age, and still quite active, although in her second childhood mentally.

The funeral of Mrs. Bennett took place from the church at Liberty Corners last Sunday afternoon.

#### Amherst Young Lady Married.

Miss Mabel Foxen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Foxen, of Amherst, and received but one dissenting vote. Its A. O. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. provisions were explained by its author, Thos. Anderson, of the town of Lanark, who said it involved an additional ex-A. O. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Anderson, of the town of Lanark, were married at the home of the bride's parents last Wednesday evening, Rev. G. A. Sundby officiating. Understand the bride's parents last wednesday evening the bride's parents last wednesday evening. The bride's parents last wednesday evening the bride's parents last wednesday evening the bride's parents last wednesday evening. The bride's parents last wednesday evening the br bride's parents last Wednesday even- destitute widows of soldiers who were There were no attendants, but the some technicality of the law regarding ceremony was witnessed by a number property holdings, and received apof the immediate friends and relatives plause when he said these technicalities of the respective families of the young should be swept away. couple. The bride was very prettily attired in a handsome costume, while the groom wore the conventional black. smilax and pink and white carnations, and the Misses Belva Foxen. Mayme Een, Olga Murat and Bernice Ander-The decorations were in green, with

The bride is a graduate of the Lutheran college for young ladies, at Red followed by the well wishes of many 50 cents. friends.

#### Requirements for Degrees Changed.

Requirements for the master's degree have just been modified by the faculty of the University of Wisconsin him to speak at all. upon recommendation of the faculty of edge of our various town governments the graduate school. Hereafter the opens next month in Chicago, doing than most club civic committees pos- preparation of a thesis will be required only of such candidates for the master's While passing along Superior avenue, tion is that Civic Sections of our Fed- degree as desire to specialize in a defion the West Side, last Thursday after-noon, Mr. Augustad was bitten by a their time to a careful study of the of academic work, including normally good quality of cardboard. vicious dog, penetrating the skin in town government or county govern- from 9 to 12 unit hours each semester, several places. The wounds were given ment controlling their own towns. It is required for the second degree. Can-immediate medical attention and no bad is important for each club or section didates for the master's degree who interested in civics to understand the are graduates may be permitted to do Packing Co. at Grand Rapids, was a counties; to know the number of offi- may complete the resident study in two ings; with or without personal propone-half of this work in absentia, and Packing Co. at Grand Rapids, was a counties; to know the number of offivisitor to this city last Friday afternoon. This concern completed their
noon. This concern complete the resident study in two
summer sessions. All candidates for
the master's degree are required to
Souik, route 2, Stevens Point, Wis. tf plant about three weeks ago and have ment,—to know from close observation take an oral examination upon the girds been dressing about two car loads the most effective as well as the weak- graduate work presented. The second of hogs and cattle each week, for est points of the system. Having degrees in engineering will be conferred backs of their necks will be swathed which they have found ready sale learned these facts, it is well to ask the upon graduates of approved institutions who pursue one year of advanced study town or county, for total revenues from | in the college of engineering; and upon graduates of the University of Wisconadequate. If inadequate, what points | sin who have spent three years in procould be improved for no greater ex- fessional work, one of which must be in a position of responsibility, and who present a satisfactory thesis.

#### Win Prizes For Grain.

Cash prizes amounting to \$300, a corn planter valued at \$40, and a fanning mill worth \$45 were awarded to the most successful growers of pure bred grain who are members of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Association at the annual meeting just held at the college of agriculture. The associ-ation consists of over 1,000 former students of the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture, over 500 of whom were present at the meeting. This association annually offers large cash prizes in order to encourage the growing of pure bred grains. The J. I. Case manufacturing company of Racine offered in addition a \$40 corn planter; and the Johnson-Field manufacturing company, Racine, gave a complete fanning mill and grain grader valued at \$45. A large number of members entered the competition, and the result was the greatest display of seed and forage plants ever made in Wisconsin. The competition was so keen that three were tied for the corn planter prize; H. Krueger, Beaver Dam, C. H. Howitt, Randolph, and C. E. Akins, Warren, Ill., being the three who won the largest number of prizes for corn. The fanning mill given to the person winning the greatest number of cash District No. 8, town of Sharon, for the shape of a medal to the club of the prizes in small grains, went to R. N. West, Ripon.

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Kirkoline Washing Powder, large package .18
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Pearline Washing Powder, 6 packages for .25
Victor Rolled Oats, per 5 pound package25
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Egg.o.See, 3 packages for25
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People who talk about Senator Jeff Davis having garnered fame from his single speech overlook the most remarkable feature of the case, which was that the old war horses allowed

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#### A Popular Play Indeed.

Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" has been translated into German nine times, into French seven, into Italian six, into modern Greek three, into Latin and Swedish twice and into Croatian, Danish, Dutch, Frisian, Polish, Roumanian, Russian, Magyat, Portuguese and Yiddish. There are seven or eight English acting editions of the tragedy. But one attempt actually to alter and improve it has ever been made. This was in 1722, when John Sheffield, duke of Buckingham, divided it into two parts at the death of Caesar, calling it "The Tragedies of Julius Caesar and Marcus Brutus," and made many other changes. To enrich this poor play, or, rather, these poor plays. Pope furnished some choruses, but they had the usual effects of ill adjusted ornaments-they served only to make the meanness of the thing they bedecked the more conspicuous.

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## THE THERMOMETER.

It Was invented by a Poor Man Whe

There is one little instrument in which the interest of all classes of people in this country never diminishes through all the changing seasons of the year, from the first day of January to the last day of December. It regulates the business pulse of the nation and is the shrine to which men of all occupa. the cat." is the thermometer, which bears the shooting expeditions, the Persian cat name of Fahrenhelt.

Before the seventeenth century men could only judge of the amount of heat prevailing at any place by their personal sensations and could only speak cat came to an untimely end. The of the weather in a very indefinite shah was in despair at the loss of his way as hot or very hot, cold or very cold. In that century several attempts by means of tubes containing oil, spir-notice. The lad was sharp enough to were made by scientific experimenters its of wine and other substances to es make the most of an accident (planned tablish a satisfactory means of measuring heat, but none of them proved and the monarch was so pleased that successful. Even Sir Isaac Newton, who applied his great mind to this work, and also the noted astronomer, stalled the new luck bringer. Halley, failed in their attempts to produce a heat measure.

It was reserved to Gabriel Daniel Fahrenheit, an obscure and poor man, a native of Dantzig, to give to the to be so serviceable to mankind. He be floating through a submarine palace had failed in business as a merchant of many halls whose roofs are either and, having a taste for mechanics and as green as grass in the sun or blood of the conventional female of such chemistry, began a series of experi- red. But the visitor needs a good ments for the production of thermome- guide and a good boatman, for the sea ters. At first he made these instru- is insidious and the labyrinth of caves ments with alcohol, but soon became intricate. On one occasion, writes Auconvinced that the semisolid mercury the glass tube.

Fahrenheit had removed from Dantzig to Amsterdam, and there about the year 1720 he made the mercury thermometer which has ever since been fashioned much like the original.

The basis of his plan was to mark on the tube the two points respectively ascended within a few inches of the at which water is congealed and boiled and to graduate the space between. He began with an arbitrary marking, beginning with 32 degrees, because he found that the mercury descended 32 degrees more before coming to what boat had issued from its mouth. he thought the extreme cold resulting from a mixture of ice, water and sal ammoniac. In 1724 he published a distinct treatise on the subject of his exresulted therefrom.

a hundred degrees between freezing for man, it seems to have arisen from and boiling point. This was the centigrade thermometer. Reaumur proposed another graduation which has been accepted by the French, but by far the largest part of the civilized world Fahrenheit's scale has been accepted in his hand. Seizing the private's gun. and used, with 32 degrees as freezing. the officer commanded him to eat the blood heat and 212 degrees as boiling arm pointed at his head, the soldier 55 degrees as temperate, 96 degrees as

not mark the extreme to which heat to join in the distasteful banquet. however, does not seem to have been next day, and when he was asked by of any practical consequence.

scribing temperatures below the zero Blank and I dined together."-Washof Fahrenheit, and scientists have pro- ington Star. duced artificially temperatures far below any ever dreamed of by the theris doubt as to the year of the death of eastern city boasts of an extraordinary mometer maker of Amsterdam. There Fahrenheit, but it is generally placed collection of books wherein the auin 1740.—Los Angeles Times.

#### Sun Power.

mentioned, a source most promising have even gone so far as to hint of a and yet one which has so far eluded similarity in handwriting throughout the investigator. The sun on a clear the collection. chanical energy working continuously. If even a fraction of this power could be transformed into mechanical or electrical energy and stored it would do the world's work. Here is power on the fly leaf this inscription: delivered at our very doors without: cost. How to store the energy so generously furnished and keep it on tap taigne."—Harper's Weekly. for future use is the problem. That, the next half century will see some solution thereof, either chemical or otherwise, seems likely.-H. S. Pritchett in Atlantic.

It is related that when Sir John Mil- of a rat. That is a sign that the ani-Victoria and Lady Millais. lais fell ill Queen Victoria sent the mal is in bad health. Princess Louise to the dying man to for his writing tablet and inscribed pig ought to take to his bed and send upon it the words, "I should like the for the veterinary." - New Orleans queen to see my wife." Then the Times-Democrat. queen broke through her iron rule not to receive any woman whose marriage tie had been once dissolved, whether there be blame or not, graciously acthetic interview.-St. James' Gazette.

an advance in salary. "Now," he said with the monkey."-Philadelphia Injubilantly, "I can begin saving to buy quirer.

a farm." The agriculturist looked at the check received for his season's wheat. "Another such crop or two and I can move into the city," he mused.-Philadelphia Ledger.

Light Work.

"Want a job, Rastus?" "No, sah; no, sah. Done got a job,

sab." "Indeed! What are you doing?" "Takin' in washin' foah ma wife to do, sah."-Lippincott's.

Grieving for the lost opportunity is the very worst way to find new ones.-Baltimore American.

The Wife of the Cat. Nasr-ed-din, the Persian shah, was an intensely superstitious man and believed that his luck lay in his beautiful black Persian cat, which was a remarkably handsome cat in a land where cats are nearly all handsome. The shah never allowed the black cut to be away from him, and it was given in charge of one of his wives, Amin Agdas, who was styled "the wife of

When the shah went on his long carried by a special attendant directly behind his master. Unluckily one day neer. an accident occurred, and the black My own conception of Kit Carson luck bringer, but the clever "wife of the cat" exerted her influence and that he usually drank a river dry and brought her nephew under the shah's picked the carcass of a whole buffalo he gave the boy the name of "the cherished of the sovereign" and in-

#### Perilous Boating.

On the west coast of Ireland, near the mouth of the river Shannon, are forest. In the foreground stood a glseveral large sea caves which open gantic figure dressed in the traditional into each other. The visitor, seems to brey de Vere in his "Recollections," was a more suitable article to use in soon after a party had entered the boatman suddenly shouted, "Bend Carson. down your heads for your lives!"

No one saw any danger, but the boatman felt the placid water insensibly rising and knew that the tide had turned. At last the visitors knew this, too, for it was not until the boat had

"Pull your best!" exclaimed the man at the helm. "If the second wave reaches us, we are lost!" But before the second wave reached the cave the

#### "To Eat Crow."

Although the use of the expression "to eat crow" in a metaphorical sense, periments and the conclusions that had meaning to eat one's words, may well have dated from the time of Noah, when the bird was first looked upon gested the more rational graduation of as unclean and not fit to serve as food

A soldier, having shot a tame crow belonging to one of his officers, was discovered by the owner with the bird bird as a punishment. With the firefell to, but no sooner had the officer It is true that the zero of Fahren- laid aside the gun than the culprit heit's scale is a solecism since it does grasped it and compelled his superior

The private was court martialed the the examiners what had occurred he Arctic explorers have persisted in de- replied, "Nothing, except that Captain

#### College Chums.

A rich and well known citizen of an thors have inscribed their autographs. It is rumored that the envy and fre-

quently the skepticism of his friends have been aroused by the flattering inminds revert when this question is scriptions in question, and some cynics

The citizen recently purchased a rare the earth's surface the equivalent of edition of Montaigne's essays. One approximately two horsepower of me evening at dinner the costly volume for a time the owner lost sight of it. When, however, it did finally come back to him he was astonished to find

"To John Blank, From His Old Friend and Classmate, Mike Mon-

#### Reading a Pig's Tail. "Don't buy that pig." said the older butcher hastily.

"Why not?" asked the younger man. "Look at his tail," was the reply. "See how loose it hangs, like the tail

"You can read a pig's condition by inquire what favor she could accord its tail. The tighter it is curled the him that could alleviate his sorrow if fitter is the pig. And when the tall not his pain. Sir John thereupon called hangs straight, as this one does, the

#### An Unmentioned Ancestor.

Mr. B. is very proud of his ancient lineage and never lets slip an opportuceded to the request and accorded the nity to boast of it. At a dinner where sorely tried lady a tender and sympa. he had been unusually rampant on this subject a fellow guest quieted him by remarking:

"If you climb much farther up your The toiler in the city had been given family tree you will come face to face

#### Got the Cart Before the Horse. Rich Uncle John-Ah, is this one of your children? Agitated Mother-Yes. | too." Uncle John, that's our little Johnnie. Kiss your uncle, dear, and then go and wash your face.-Cleveland Plain

#### A Little Hint.

Dealer.

Mrs. Knicker-Henry, do you think a camel can pass through the eye of a needle? Knicker-Dunno. Do you think the eye of a needle can pass

through a button? Men tire themselves in the pursuit of rest.—Sterne.

#### KIT CARSON.

Feat of Which the Hardy Frontiersman Had No Recollection.

One of the most noted of the hardy western frontlersmen was Kit Carson. to whom, with Daniel Boone, belongs the credit of having always dealt fairly with the various Indian tribes, as they themselves acknowledged. The withdrawal of Carson by the government was the cause of a great war, Captain Henry Inman in his book, "The Old Santa Fe Trail," relates an amusing incident of the gallant plo-

as a child was that he was ten feet high, that it would have required the strength of two men to lift his rifle, clean as easily as a lady does the wing of a quail. Years after, when I made the acquaintance of the foremost frontiersman, I found him a delicate, reticent, undersized, wire man, the very opposite type of what my childish brain had created.

One day while Kit was at the fort I came across a periodical that had a full page illustration of a scene in a buckskin.

On one arm rested an immense rifle. His other arm was around the waist half a dozen Indians lay prone, evi-

dently slain by the hero in the impossible attire in defense of the preposterous female. The legend stated how all this had been effected by Kit I handed it to Kit. He wiped his

spectacles, studied the picture intently for a few seconds and then said: "Gentlemen, that thar may be true, but I hain't got no recollection of it"

#### A JOURNALISTIC HOAX.

Trick the Harvard Lampoon Played on the Crimson.

Speaking of the Crimson, Harvard's daily newspaper, reminds every Harvard man of the Lampoon's master stroke-or joke-played on that dignified and unsuspecting sheet on Memorial day, 1901. The Crimson had announced that it would not appear on that holiday, but inconspicuously, so few were surprised to find their Crimson at their door that morning as usual. Their surprise began, however, when they scanned its contents. This always serious sheet seemed to have become most frivolous and irresponsible during the night, for in its columns all sorts of weird and fantastic statements appeared.

The news, though clothed in the usual heavy, dignified Crimson style, was wildly revolutionary in character. Among the items that appeared were: "A Plot to Blow Up Memorial Hall," "Strong Men to Get the Varsity H," "Wellesley Crew to Be Guests of the University" and most important of all a notice, "Lampoon Celebration at 7 Tonight." Then the joke came out. The Lampoon had published the famous "fake Crimson," the joke was known throughout the country, and that night Lampy's sanctum was the scene of bacchanalian revelry. When the following year the Crimson editors sat up all night with injunctions against a repetition of the fake the joke was again on them, for Lampy differs from history in that he never repeats himself.-K. B. Townsend in Bohemian.

#### Mississippi Oratory.

Jasper county has been noted for the high grade of eloquence produced by the public men of that part of Mississippi. An appeal to the "mighty mea of Jasper" made by one of that county's great men when a candidate to the voters who elected him is as fol-

"Mighty men of Jasper, if I can be instrumental in the hands of my people in adding a few jewels to those that now shine in imperishable luster on the queenly brow of our proud commonwealth, whose associated radiance, like the lambent beauty of the star, is te guide the footsteps of her children along the paths of peace and prosperity, security and happiness, I shall then have accomplished the ambition of my life."-Mobile Register.

#### Superlative Beauty.

A Swedish newspaper recently invited its readers to state in a few words what they considered the most beautiful thing in the world. The first prize was carried off by an anonymous answer. "The eyes of my mother." More imaginative was the reader who won the next prize by suggesting. "The dream of that which we know to be impossible."

The most amusing answer was that which read. "The most beautiful thing in the world is to see a man carrying his mother-in-law across a dangerous river without making any attempt to drop her in."

#### Proved Useless. "When you was little, was you

spanked like I am to make you good. papa?" "I was, my son, and spanked hard

"Ven you can't fool me no more,

cause if it didn't make you good it. won't make me good."-San Francisco

#### An Escape.

Maid-No, mum; Mrs. Dodge is out. Visitor-How fortunate! When I saw her peeping through the curtain as I came up the path I was so afraid abe would be in.-London Opinion.

Every one ought to measure himself by his own proper font and standard. Horace.

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ghost saving a man's life. There is, however, an instance, and it seems to be tolerably well authenticated, and materialists will hardly know how to account for it. Here is the story. It is of the Yorkshire dales and of a good many years ago. A clergyman whose duty lay in that wild country, where a strong race of men and women lived principally on bacon and oatcake and knew not save rarely butcher's meat. used to ride or walk to visit the people. He had been raising a subscription in a time of scarcity and had to be out late at night. One evening on his outward journey he suddenly became aware of a figure moving beside him. and in the gloaming he recognized his brother, who had died some time before. He was too awestruck for words, and after keeping by his side for some distance over the lonely moor the figure disappeared. He noted the time and the vision, but nothing occurred to throw any light upon it. However, some years after he had taken the duty at a jail in another part of the country one of the prisoners lying under sentence desired to make a confession. After telling him of a lot of crimes he said: "I wor very near once taking your life, sir. It was in that bad year, and I heerd as how you went carrying money about in those lonesome dales. I hid behind the big bowlders of the brown moor. I saw you coming up and waited till you should be near enough, but that night you were not alone." This is a startling tale and the stronger because an article twenty years ago in Macmillan's Magazine by Lady Verney.

#### A Stuttering Story.

A noted-humorist tells a stuttering story: "It is about two blacksmiths, both stutterers. The first snatched a redhot lump of iron from the forge, rushed with it to the anvil and then began this conversation: 'N-n-now, th-th-then, st-strike qu-quickly! 'W-w-where shall I strike?' 'J-j-just at the end. H-h-hurry up? 'Th-th-this end? 'Yes, of c-c-course. Mind you hit s-s-straight.' 'All r-r-right. Shall I 1-1-let her g-g-go?' 'N-n-no, you f-f-fool; the iron's c-c-cold."

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most ill health and who created a and I almost always had a sickening furore in Chicago, St. Louis and other feeling in my stomsch. I was nerwestern cities, is meeting with the vous, and for weeks at a time could same remarkable success with his not sleep, and then again could sleep medicine throughout the east. Cooper eighteen hours at a stretch. Sleep, has convinced an immense number of however, seemed to do me no good, people that his theory is sound and and I would awake tired and more his medicine will do what he claims. exhausted than when I went to bed. Perhaps the most interesting features of the discussion this young my back, and flutterings and pains

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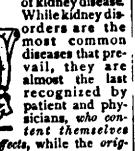


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thinking is done in the front part of often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's the brain, so that a high forehead means a lofty intellect. Common opinion, it turns out, is precisely wrong. More hard thinking is done at the back part of the head than anywhere else. Much of the rest is done in a region just above the cars.

the sides and top of the head play their special part. In fact, about the only portion of the outer layers of the brain substance that has never been found to have the least connection with any sort of thinking is that lying above the

There is another curious fact about the thinking apparatus. Nine men out of ten at least do all their thinking on the left side of the brain and might. as far as their purely mental operations are concerned, get on just as well if the entire right half were removed.

a disintegration of the brain substance is apt to cause more or less complete and permanent paralysis of corresponding groups of muscles, always, of course. on the left side of the body, since, as is well known, nearly all the nerve fibers in passing from the brain to the body organs cross over to the other side.

the brain, however, does not in general affect the mind. This remains as clear and sane and vigorous as ever.

On the other hand, the very same injury to the brain which on the right side affected only the body will when it occurs on the left side affect the mind as well. To paralysis of the muscles is added curtailment of the thinking powers.

a cupful of brains out of the right side of their heads and retained all their mental faculties unimpaired. There have been other men in whom the loss of a half a thimbleful from the left side has rendered them for the remainder of their lives unable to recognize by sight their own wives.

are the left handed men.

are right eyed men also, and not only sight a gun or use a microscope with the right eye, but also sit to drive or stand to bat or grasp tools in the way that will give to that eye the more unimpeded view. In addition, right handthey hear with both ears, they listen with the right-as any one may test in his own case for himself.

ly left eyed and left eared. Thus, the centers for the more skillful hand and probably for the better trained eye come normally on the same side of the brain as the thinking apparatus, so that the eye, hand and thought work together.

In general, then, all the thinking is

the entire brain mapped out like city lots-combativeness here, order there. This part of one's brain operates when he puts away his shoes in the closet, that when he throws them at the cat.

"faculties" in the mind and "organs" have a baseball playing muscle and a wood sawing muscle and still another muscle for standing still. The brain acts as a whole just as the body does. We use all our muscles to play ball,

ability to recognize his wife. This man, who was a workman in Glasgow, had his skull fractured by a blow ' from that struck through the operabedded in the gray matter of his brain. At once he lost the capacity for thinking about what he saw. Though his sight was sharp enough.

he could not recognize the most familiar objects. His friends, his children. his wife, appeared merely as colored spots, yet otherwise his mind was er.-Youth's Companion. clear, and the moment any of them spoke he knew them at once. He could not tell by eyesight how many fingers were held up before his face, but by touch he could count them as well as Still stranger freaks of mental blind-

ness, however, are brought about by the bursting or plugging of minute blood vessels in the brain. There is a New York case of this sort, an educated, middle aged woman who took up her newspaper one morning and to her consternation found that she could not read a single word.

little spot of gray matter which the printed and written words. To the day of her death this woman never read

To speak paradoxically, the most im-

portant deeds of our lives are out words. It is speech more than any thing else that makes us human, while words are not so much "for the purpose of concealing our thoughts" as the only means by which we are able to think effectively at all.

Few injuries, therefore, are more distressing to the victim or to bla friends than are those which affect the "speech center" at the side of the head a little above and in front of the auditory area. An apoplectic stroke at this point often paralyzes an entire haif of the body and renders the victim dumb for the remainder of his days. It sometimes happens, however, that

the plugged or ruptured blood vessel injures just the right bit of brain tissue to cut off the power of speech and do nothing else. The patient can use his mouth and throat as before-for everything except talking. Sometimes if the injury does not extend to the center from the hand he can commu nicate in writing. He can read and understand spoken

words as before. Occasionally het can utter parrot fashion any sound in the language or even repeat correctly any. thing said in his presence. Sometimes the aphasic can use words of one syl lable. Sometimes he retains a small stock of words. It may be no more than four or five. Sometimes he loses his stock of proper names or it may be all his nouns. There have been aphasics who would

articulate perfectly, but were continually at a loss to find the appropriate word. It is all a question of the precise point where the smashup hap pened to occur and the extent of the destruction. In all cases what is lost or curtailed is the ability to think about spoken words. It seems strange that when one is

dining he innervates the muscles of the tongue and lips and throat from the sides of the brain like other paired organs, but when he turns to speak to the waiter he controls the very same muscles from the left side of his brain only. It all goes to show how peculiar and

in a sense artificial are human speech and ability to think in words.-Chicago Record-Herald.

#### SCALP WOUNDS.

Various Results That May Come With a Bump on the Head.

which covers the cranium is tough and is protected by the hair of the rious than a bruise. This is fortuis a rather difficult affair to manage at times, and its complications and sequels are likely occasionally to give more or less trouble. A severe bruise, such as may be

caused by striking the head with considerable force against a blunt proble, usually results in more or less bog to be frank—on their envelopes. gy swelling, due to the effusion of serum or blood under the scalp. Ordinarily this gives no trouble, except that it may be quite tender for a few days. The effused serum or blood is berlain's Salve has done for me. It sooner or later absorbed, and the bump has cured my face of a skin disease of becomes a thing of the past,

In some cases the fluid becomes full of pus owing to the inflammation of the bruised tissues. This kind of a this salve has cured me. - Mrs. Fannie wound must be opened and the mat- Griffin, Troy, Ala. Chamberlain's Salve ter washed out, otherwise it may bur is for sale by H. D. McCulloch Co. row quite a distance along the skull and possibly result in the destruction of some of the bone.

not call for much attention. If the hearing about it. swelling is considerable the scalp and particular kinds of thinking are done hair should be thoroughly washed, and then a lotion should be applied of boric acid dissolved in cologne water or a more readily reach the part if the suftion will have to reach the spot as best it can. The hair need not be cut unless it is really a case serious in the brain about as much as we enough to call for the offices of a sur-When the scalp is cut or torn the

matter is more grave, both in its present state and its possible consequences, and had better be left to the doctor Secretary of War. to treat. A blow hard enough to tear the scalp may have been of sufficient case of the man who suddenly lost the force to crack the skull, and even if the bone is intact-and the fracture may occur in another part of the skull tion of what surgeons call contrecoup way between the ear and the crown, or a "counterblow"—the scalp may become inflamed and slough away. leaving the bone denuded, so that it may lose its vitality and give rise to trouble calling for surgical interference, or it may become the seat of an erysipelas. At any rate, the wound will need washing and possibly a few stitches to bring the cut edges togeth-Value of Understanding,

The habit of being content with noth-

ing less than understanding a thing is of inestimable worth to every man, young or old. No matter what one's occupation or responsibility, his first task is to understand what is his part to do. Understanding means not only to know a thing before one's eyes, but to know a task, a position or an opportunity in its relation to other things. It requires some thinking, therefore, to have a comprehensive grasp of any piece of work in its rightful relations. No one can dutifully and faithfully 'd a place or accomplish a good thing

without at least enough thinking to un derstand clearly what he is to do and what its meaning is. Few of us work under sealed orders. Most of us have plenty of light to make sure we are on the right track and are doing things in the right way.-Wall Street Journal.

MADE ONE BLUNDER.

But to Square It an Offer of Generous Restitution Was Made.

In one of the northwestern states they like nothing better than to tell how a few years ago there came to of Unicorn root (Helonias Dioica) which that section of the Union a Boston is one of the chief ingredients of the "Fanewspaper man whose mission it was to "write up" lynching in that quarter, although it appeared that there had not been an illegal execution in the state for a long time. The natives took the questions of the eastern scribe in good part and even "jollied" him into believing that for downright lawlessness the community wherein be was for the moment sojourning was about the most conspicuous portion of the United States.

"Don't you ever make a mistake in these lynchings?" guilelessly asked the Bostonian—"that is, don't you ever lynch the wrong man?"

"That happened once," put in some one, "but we tried to do the square thing by the widow." "Indeed!"

"Yes; we appointed a committee to inform the widow that the joke was on us, and we gave her the choice of the crowd for her second husband."-Lippincott's Magazine.

In Society.

The negro barber on a limited train running from an eastern city to Chicago was once shaving a man whom he recognized as a well known merchant of Albany. The barber worked with especial skill and was rewarded with a substantial fee.

When the barber was telling the other employees on the train of his good luck, he announced pompously:

dat Mr. Smith. Jes' as nice a man as you'd wanter meet. I's often been in his sto' in Albany, but dis 18 de fust time I's ever met him socially."-Lippincott's.

(From the Chicago Tribune.) "Don't trifle with a cold,' is good

advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold commonest of accidents, but the skin is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold. scalp, so it is comparatively rare that Whether it is a child or adult, the cold the blow results in anything more se-slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give nate, for an open wound of the scalp Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by H. D. McCulloch Co.

It is mean to charge congressmen

Cured.

I want you to know how much Chamberlain's Salve has done for me. It has cured my face of a skin disease of almost twenty years' standing. I have been treated by several as smart physicians as we have in this country and they did me no good, but two boxes of this salve has cured me.—Mrs. Fannie

Cured.

A translent merchant or trader for the purpose of this ordinance is defined to 'e all persons who bring into said city goods, wares, merchandise or other articles of trane for the purpose of exposing the same for sale, and seiling the same at retail, by other means they did me no good, but two boxes of this salve has cured me.—Mrs. Fannie

The cured in good a license so to do.

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One virtue of this continued Japanese war talk is that it will soon be such an An ordinary bruise of the scalp does old story that everyone will be tired of

deeply seated. To check early colds with these little candy cold cure tablets wash of witch hazel. If the hair is is surely sensible and safe. Preventics very thin it had better be cut short contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothover the bruise, so that the lotion can ing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were ferer is a boy, but if a girl the lo-tion will have to reach the spot as feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes 5 cents. Sold by all dealers.

> New York ought to call forth a similar statement from Mr. Taft that he

tain Tea makes the system strong and Testimony in the Harrisburg graft

ases shows that the Capitol furniture 'by the foot" was measured for length. breadth and thickness. And doubtless it was a source of grief to the efficials that they were none of them experts in the fourth dimension.

Strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Pos-titively, not one weak heart in a hundred is, in it-self, actually diseased. It is almost always a hidden tiny little nerve that really is all at fault. This obscure nerve—the Cardiac, or Heart Nerve simply needs, and must have, more power, more the end that stability, more controlling, more governing strength. Without that the Heart must continue to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have shown to fail, and the stomach and kidneys also have

popular prescription is a one directed to these popular presention—is a one directed to these weak and wasting nerve centers. It builds; it strengthens; it offers real, genuine heart help.

If you would have strong Hearts, strong digestion, strengthen these nerves—re-establish them as needed, with

## Dr. Shoop's Restorative

Cures Woman's Weaknesses.

suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff

of The ECLECTIC MEDICAL REVIEW SAYS

indications for Helonias (Unicorn root). Pape or aching in the back, with electorhote at atonic (weak) conditions of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and intribulity, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women; constant emation of heat in the region of the kingers assorthants (flooding), due to a weak-emed condition of the reproductive systems amenorphoes suarressed or absent monthly periods, absile from or accompanying an absorbed condition of the digestive organic and assemic (thin blood) habit; dragging sensitions in the extreme lower part of the abdoses.

Medical College, says of Goiden Seal:

"Valuable in uterine hemorrhage, menoprhagia (flooding) and congestive dysmenofrance (painful menstruation)."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription faithfully represents all the above named in-gredients and cures the diseases for which they are recommended.



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Wall Plaster, Stuccos, Cements, &c. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge, and orders from abrosa promptly attended to. Write for our price list.
Telephones: Office, No. 30; Works, No. 30.

Also dealers in

White Lime, Plastering Hair Adamant,

#### AN ORDINANCE.

The common council of the city of Stevens Point do ordain :

Section 1. No person shall engage in pedding or selling from house to house, at retail to consumers, or offer for sale, exchange or parter at retail, to consumers, any goods, wares, merchandles or other articles of trade

Sec. 2. No person shall engage in business in the city of Stevens Poin merchant, dealer or trader, without first hav-ing obtained a license so to do.

from the city treasurer, showing that the Sec 4. The fees for said license shall be as follows: For a peddler or person selling from house to he use the sum of five dollars

than twenty five days for each violation i thereoi. Sec. 6. All ordinances conflicting berewith Sec. 6. All orunaments are hereby repealed Sec. 7. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its assage and publication.

M. Noseman, Alderman.

Adopted February 6, 1908 Approved February 7, 1909.

H. J. Finch, City Clerk.

T. E. Hanna, Mayor.

The common council of the city of Stevens Point, state of Wisconsin, do ordain as fol-

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hat the salary of the city attorney be fixed at three bundles dollars (\$300.00) per that in addition to the duties of the city

comparing the statutes of the state of Wisconsin, he be required to assist the cla cik at such times as n as be required in making up tax r d and assessments, and asset the treasurer in conecting the same, and ha libe city poor commissioner and state be equired as such poor commissioner to thor-uchly investigate all applications for aidand determine whether or not an a shall be extended, subject to the ection of the council and that the salary of so d comptroller and dollar (Seq.0) per annum.

publication.
Introduced by the finance committee.

STEVENS POINT, WIS.

There have been men who have lost

I have said that most men do all their thinking on the left side of their brains. The remainder use only the right sides of theirs. These, moreover,

ed men are also right eared—while

done on the left side of the brain. Can we not go farther and say that in particular regions of the left cortex?

Now, as a matter of fact, we have

A minute artery had become stopped. the blood supply was cut off from the

another letter. Yet in every other respect she remained entirely normal.

"He's shore a mighty fine gentleman,

Neglected Colds Threa en Life.

jection, say the rounded edge of a ta- with duplicity. They are at least sure Skin Disease of 20 Years' Standing

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventics, before it gets

This remark of Gov. Hughes that he will not again stand for governor of does not care about another term as

If you suffer with indigestion, constipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite, your system is unhealthy. Hollister's Rocky Mounhealthy. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. D. McCulloch Co.

Heart Strength

these same controlling nerves. This clearly explains why, as a medicine, Dr. Shoop's Restorative has in the past done so much for weak and ailing Hearts. Dr. Shoop first sought the cause of all this painful, palpitating, suffocating heart distress. Dr. Shoop's Restorative—this second or provided the shoot of the distress of the district of the distress of the district of the distress of the distress of the distress of the district of the distress of the district of the dis

"ALL DEALERS"

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous,

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"A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invisorator " " makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive systems"
He continues "in Helonias we have a mediciment which more fully answers the above
purposes then any other drug with which I also
acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is
seen which does not present some indication
for this remedial agent." Dr. Fyfo further
says: "The following are among the leading
indications for Helonias (Unicorn root). Palm
are asching in the back, with sleucornoca.

If more or less of the above symptoms of present to invalid woman can desire than take Dr. Pierce's Favorit Presentation, one of the leading ingredents of which is Unicorn root, or Helonias.

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Of Golden Seal root, another prominent ingredient of "Favorite Prescription," Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, Says:

"It is an important remedy in disorders of the wonth. In all catarrhal conditions and general enfeeblement, it is useful."

Prof. John M. Seudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root:

"In relation to its general effects on the system, there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion. It is universally regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Prof. R. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal:



Mos 145 Main Street Stevens " in: Wig

or barter within the city of Stevens Point without first having obtained a license there-

of six months or more, and who pay taxes open their goods therein.

Sec. 3 The license provided for in Sections 1 and 2 shall be issued by the city clerk, upon presentation to him of a certificate or receipt

35 (0) per day: for transient me chant or rader the sum of twenty five dollars (\$25.00) Sec. 5. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be upon conviction thereof be fined not less than one dollar nor more than twenty-five dollars or be imprisoned not less than one or more

AN ORDINANCE.

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That the salary of the supermen of the fire department be fixed at five hundred ten dollars (\$60.00) per annum.

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Telephone in Connection.

Curious Facts About the Human

Thinking Apparatus.

Right Handed Persons Form Ideas In

Common opinion has it that the

When the thinking involves action

To be sure, a tumor on the right side of the brain, a broken blood vessel or

Such an injury to the right side of

Apparently, too, right handed men

Left handed men are corresponding-

The phrenologists, of course, have

and we use them all to saw wood. I have already touched upon the on the left side of the head about midso that a splinter of bone became im-

mind uses most in thinking about

KNOWLTON.

The roller skating rink still keeps up its popularity with the young people. Dr. W. N. Daniels, of Mosinee, has been somewhat busy the last few days among Knowlton residents.

Mrs. A. Chase has been quite ill the past week, necessitating the sending for her mother, Mrs. Bishop of Nece-

Mrs. F. A. Richmond has returned from a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Barker,

in Stevens Peint.
Miss Oressa Winslow, of Stevens Point, had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Odenwalder, during the Saturday and Sunday vacation.

Arno Lugviel and Fred Becker, of Bessemer, Mich., who had been employed during the past four months at the iron mine, left for their home Mon-

day.
The Misses Alta Little of New Lisbon, Kitty Madden of Sparta, Mary McNeil of Wausau and Elsie Dupre of Brokaw were recent visitors at the C. E. Guenther home.

#### ARNOTT.

John Higgins, of Custer, was a brief business caller here Saturday. John Leary, who was taken sick last week, is much improved now.

Miss Laura Raymond was a caller at Stevens Point a day last week. O. A. Washburn, of Plainfield, spent a few hours among friends here, Mon-

day morning. An auction will take place at the Carver farm in the near future. Watch

for the date. Ray Leary and wife attended the funeral of Carl Lutz at Amherst Junc-

tion. Tuesday. Chas. Breitenstein was a business caller at Racine a few days the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Julius Michalski was taken very sick last week, but is much improved the last few days. Julius Kussman, of Amherst Junc-

tion, was a guest Sunday of his brothers. John and Ernest Kussman. Mrs. Scheffner, of Stevens Point, is a guest at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. C. Breitenstein, this week. Miss Celina Breitenstein, of Knowl ton, is a guest of her uncle, Richard Breitenstein, for the past week. Wm. Ryan was a business caller at

Stevens Point last Wednesday, going over to purchase a few good valentines. The P. D. Q. will meet at the home of Mrs. John Kussman, Feb. 27th, and dinner will be served. All invited to A sleigh load of merry girls drove

through our burg last Saturday. Some of our young men are beginning to realize that February contains 29 days this year. H. N. Olson returned from the but-

termakers' convention, which was held at Milwaukee last week, and was successful in obtaining a score of 93 on his butter. Mr. Olson has proven himself a high grade buttermaker at conventions for the past few years.

The Carver farm, located two miles north of here, was transferred Monday to Joe Turzinski of Polonia. The sale

#### RUDOLPH.

Biron last week.

William Slattery drove over to Stevens Point Friday.
W. Berard, of Grand Rapids, was a welcome guest in this burg, Sunday. Emmet Slattery took a load of baled hay over to Stevens Point market Sat-

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bates, of Grand Rapids, were guests of their parents, Sunday.

Miss Elsie Akey departed for Wausau, Sunday, where she expects to remain for some time.

The stockholders of the Carson cheese the building last week.

Slattery home. The Misses Dollie and Tessie Slat-

Fox transacted business in Stevens Point. Mrs. Isadore Livernash was a guest

at the home of her uncle, Peter Akey, the latter part of last week, while on her return home from the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Alice Weisenborn, of Grand Rapids.

to close school for two weeks on ac-

# oes Not

Ayer's Hair Vigor, as now made from our new improved formula, does not stain or color the hair even to the slightest degree. Gray hair, white hair, blonde hair is not made a shade darker. But it certainly does stop falling hair. No question about that.

Dees not change the color of the hair, Formula with each bottle Show it to your then do so he says

Indeed, we believe it will stop every case of falling hair unless there is some very unusual complication, something greatly affecting the general health. Then you should consult your physician. Also ask him about the new Ayer's Hair Vigor. -Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.-

home in Stevens Point, where he will take medical treatment and is in hopes he may be able to resume his school duties again at the end of the two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Louis Alberts accompanied her

sister, Miss Amelia Alberts, to Port

Edwards, Saturday, to visit their sister,

business there for several months, re-

turned home last Thursday for an ex-

tended visit at the home of her par-

MEEHAN.

Aaron Smith is hustling potatoes in

ents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sharkey.

Copps' warehouse.

Fisher's sawing machine is sawing wood in this vicinity. Henry Blood, of Grand Rapids, was a business caller here Saturday. Wallace Slack and Orin Clendenning are employed at Nekoosa in the paper

Byron Ward has moved his family to Nekoosa, where he is employed in the

paper mill. David Parks, of Armenia, was a business visitor in this vicinity the last

of the week. E. M. Copps & Co. are doing a rushing business here the last few days in the potato line. The price being paid is 50 cents per bushel.

#### JUNCTION CITY.

Mrs. Jagoczinski was on the sick list the last of the week.

Mrs. S. Sebora and daughter, of Amherst, are spending a few days at as was also John Pullen of Manitowoc. the Grashorn home. Leonard Voyer, who is taking a

spent the last of the week at home. will be operated upon by Dr. Oviatt. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sovlinski, of

brook of Eau Pleine. The masquerade at Piekarski's hall The floor was covered with maskers enity of the gathering, was a scathing and all seemed to enjoy themselves. address by Mr. Grady, in which he Prizes were awarded as follows: Best questioned the democracy in years gone lady masker, Mamie Grummel; best by of Mr. Aylward, who was the gent masker, Mr. Jellison of Milladore; comic lady, Mrs. S. S. Leith; comic gent, Martin Notske.

#### AMBERST.

Emil Holtz, of Buena Vista, was in town Friday.

August Milbreit sold his buggy horse to A. P. Een.

Mike Hopkins, of Lanark, was in town Saturday. Walter Wilmot, of Mattoon, Waupaca county, was here part of last week.

Mrs. Adolph Peterson, of Lind Center, is visiting at Fred Modin's. G. E. Jordan attended the butterweek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Holt, of Wautoma, were guests at N. O. Solverud's last week Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Carey, of Berlin, attended the Anderson-Foxen wedding

last Wednesday. Julius Pidde and his brother Albert

the village of Amherst, Wednesday against it. Its malefactors, convicted Junction City. morning, Feb. 12th. Miss Olina Wold was born in Norway on Jan. 6, 1857. She is survived by her husband and three sons, Carl, Harry and Tom, all of this village.

August Petoka was found dead in a snow drift one mile north of his home, in the town of Stockton, on Tuesday morning, Feb. 11th. He left his home Monday afternoon and drove to Amherst Junction and returned back by way of Fancher, where he stayed at a saloon until two o'clock Tuesday mornfactory commenced hauling rock for ing, when he left for home. When he building last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fogarty and little deep, the thills broke and the horse got son, Donald, of St. Paul, were visiting away from the cutter but not away among relatives and friends in this from Petoka, who held onto the reins burg last week. The Misses Elenor Slattery, of Ne-horse around for some distance, when koosa, and Miss Loretta McCarthy, of he fell down and the horse fell on him. Grand Rapids, spent Sunday at the Mr. Petoka was smothered as he lay face down in the snow. The horse was found at Chas. Meronk's in the morn-

tery came up from Grand Rapids, Sat-ling. The funeral was held on Friday urday, remaining until Sunday evening with interment in the cemetery at at the home of their parents.

Lake Thomas. Mr. Petoka was born Joseph Livernash, of Merrill, was a in Poland 44 years ago. He is surguest of his sister, Mrs. Fox, the past few days and while here he and Charley the oldest being 19 years old.

#### Resolutions by Plover Post.

Resolutions of condolence by Plover Post No. 149, Dept. of Wis., G. A. R. Whereas, It has pleased our Supreme Commander to promote to a higher of Grand Rapids.

Chester Gross, who has been teaching in Dist. No. 5, Carson, was obliged

sphere our honored comrades, Robert L. Bailey. Jay Bennett, Stephen L. Foss and Peter McMillan,

Therefore be it resolved, that in their count of sickness. He departed for his deaths we have lost loyal comrades, the families kind and indulgent husbands and fathers and the community

good citizens. Further Resolved, That the charter of this Post be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days and copies of these resolutions be presented to the families of

the deceased comrades.

A. M. Blaisdell,
S. D. Clark,
John McGown, Committee.

OUR MARKETS (Grain and feed quotations are given us by telephone every Wednesday noon by The Jackson Milling Co., while V. Betlach fur

nishes the buces on meast, outer, etc. sno
E. M. Copps the prices on hay and potatoes
and farmers and buyers can depend on them
Rosebud\$5 40
Patent Flour
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Beet dressed 5 50-6 00
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Hay, Timothy, \$11 50-12 Potatoes 50-

One of the best state conventions ever held by any party in the state of Wisconsin, was that of the Democrats, Theatre, in the city of Milwaukee, on Thursday and Friday last, Every of the hotels there. Miss Lousie Shar- nearly all of them by full delegations, called to order shortly after two o'clock on Thursday afternoon by H. H. Manson, chairman of the state central and special privileges to none. committee, who introduced John F. Dougherty, of LaCrosse, as temporary chairman, the latter sounding the keynote of the coming state and national Bryan, as the next democratic candicampaign and delivering a sound, able address in an eloquent manner. Others who spoke during the afternoon were Jos. G. Donnelly and Jas. L. O'Connor of Milwaukee, Congressman J. W. Murphy of Platteville and Jos. E. Davies of Janesville, all of whom were enthusiastic for party success next fall.

The State Convention.

Previous to the convention, district caucuses were held and in this, the 8th congressional district, B. B. Park of this city and John E. McMullen of Chilton, being elected as delegates to the national convention to be held at delegates believed was entitled to the honor recognition at this time, as Portage county had a delegate four years ago. Their candidate, however, F. C. Stewart, was chosen as an alternate,

The convention adjourned on Thursday afternoon until Friday morning at course at the university at Madison, 9:30 when Evan A. Avans, of Baraboo, was introduced as permanent chairman Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arians left for and delivered a well prepared and Oshkosh, Monday, where Mrs. Arians scholarly political address. Thereafter Congressman Chas. H. Wiesse, H. H. Manson, John A. Aylward and M. A. Phillips, arrived here Saturday to spend | Hoyt were chosen as delegates at large. some time visiting at the home of Mrs. with Daniel H. Grady, P. H. Martin, Sovlinski's mother, Mrs. Chas. Hol- J. W. Murphy and T. J. Fleming as alternates.

Monday evening was well attended. the entire convention to mar the seryears ago, and he was replied to by hy which the latter no doubt gained a number of votes. Mr. Grady's remarks caused some bitterness for the time being, but it was only temporary, for a few hours at the most, and the outcome will be for the betterment of the party and the good of all concerned.

The Wisconsin delegates to the national convention elect a national committeeman for this state, an office now held by T. E. Ryan, of Waukesha, and makers' convention in Milwaukee last H. Manson, of Wausau, remains to be decided.

The platform adopted was as follows: The democratic party of the state of Wisconsin, in convention assembled, reaffirms its allegiance to the time honored principles of Jeffersonian democracy, and declares its undying hospitality to the sham and hypocrisy of repub

was made through Luckasitz & Wiezek, the real estate dealers of Custer. The consideration, including only the farm and buildings, was \$8,500. The Carver family are planning on making their family are planning on making their family are planning on making their family are planning on of Birnamwood, all buildings.

BUDOLPH.

| Marchel | Cover for driveway, estimated to reduce 3x12 plank, bids to cover | No. 1 deorgia pine, No. 1 white pine and No. 1 disclosed in recent messages of the skinner. Haungs | September, 1908.

It charges that the appalling abuses | Skinner. Haungs | Skinner. Howay pine, free from sap. Bidders to take the adjace at which said claims and demand adjustance of the long continued reign of the republicant president are the direct results of the long continued reign of the republicant part their claims, be described for four observation of the system of government for four observations of the system of government for field check equal to 5 per cent. of bid.

| September, 1908. | It is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demand adjustance is skinner. Haungs | Skinner. Haun Julius Thompson of Birnamwood, all can no longer doubt the inherent per-brothers and former residents of the town of Scandinavia, made J. J. Nelson a short visit last Thursday.

Mrs. Ben Benson died at her home in the village of Amherst, Wednesday

Medical the inherent per-brothers and former residents of the tered and maintained by the republican president flowers and former residents of the system of government fostic town of Scandinavia, made J. J. Nelson a short visit last Thursday.

Mrs. Ben Benson died at her home in the city of Stevens Point, in said counting the check equal to 5 per cent. of bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is resident of the city of Stevens Point, in said counting the check equal to 5 per cent. of bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Bids to be accompanied by bond, or certified check equal to 5 per cent. of bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Park & Carpenter, Attys. for the Executive.

and unconvicted, are but the shameless products of a system of public plunder and debauchery too long endured by a patient and suffering people.

We regard with just pride and admirwhich took place at the Davidson ation that typical American, that matchless leader, who has blazed the way to wholesome public opinion and Miss Emma, who is employed in one county in the state was represented, so ably championed the cause of the people. His zeal and untiring energy, cey, who has been in the dressmaking and the greatest enthusiasm was mani- his wise and farsceing statesmanship, fest on all sides. The convention was stamp him as the greatest living American statesman, and endear him to all those who believe in equal rights to all We therefore declare that we are un-

animously and unqualifiedly in favor of that great commoner, William Jennings date for president of the United States; and we hereby instruct our delegates to the democratic national convention at Denver, to vote as a unit for William Jennings Bryan as the democratic nomince for president, first, last and all the time.

#### Ed. Berry Getting Better.

The many friends of Ed. Berry of Buena Vista will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from a serious attack of inflamatory erysipelas, an ail-Denver next July, they receiving the ment rarely heard of. Mr. Berry was entire vote of all the counties in the stricken very suddenly about two district except Winnebago, which had months ago, his right arm being a candidate of its own, one whom its affected, and until a few days ago he suffered almost continuous torture. The poisonous matter has made three openings in his arm, two of them just below the inner elbow and on Friday morning last the skin broke near the wrist joint.

#### Our Boys Win at Wausau.

The Stevens Point High school basket ball team went to Wausau, last Friday afternoon, and in the evening were victors in a sharply contested game in which the Wausau High school team were their opponents. The lineup of the team from here was as follows: Park and Woodward, forwards; Bigelow, center; Baker and Copps, guards; Edwards and Cashin, subs; referee, The only thing that happened during Eaton of this city; umpire, Scholes of Wausau; time-keeper, Edwards of Stevens Point.

firstclass in most respects, although Glodowski, Dennis Glizczinski. the officials of the game did not agree in all the decisions and consequently there was some unpleasantness engendered in this respect. The final score was 33 to 31 in favor of Stevens Point.

In a fast and somewhat one-sided whether Mr. Ryan will be chosen to game of basket ball at Knowlton, in said city, to wit: To furnish the labor and succeed himself, or be succeeded by H. Saturday, Dancy defeated the Stevens material to re-cover the bridge across the Wis-Point High school Stars by the score of 39 to 19. A large and enthusiastic crowd witnessed the game. Both lst. For the furnishing of nine runs of steel and specifications among other things provide:

| 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is hereby allowed and limited for the creditors of said Charles Steffanus, deceased, to present their claims for examination and allowcrowd witnessed the game. Both teams played clean and in several instances showed ex: ellent form of team in the framework of the bildge, and the necessary but Dancy proved superior at cageing the ball. Following is the lineup:

Dancy:

Dancy:

Tor use, including the punching of both noise in the framework of the bildge, and the necessary bolts. Also, in case contract is let in parts, that the person furnishing steel shall furnish competent superintendent to place the same. Approximate length of bridge, 520

Miss Libbie McGregor went over to iron last week.

Son a short visit last Thursday.

Mrs. Ben Benson died at her home in himself has furnished the evidence Feb. 22d, Dancy plays Milladore at

#### They Cut Much Ice.

Baking Powder

-made from granes-

Insures healthful and

delicious food for every

home-every day

Safeguards your food against

alum and phosphate of lime

The only Baking Powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Joint district No. 2, towns of Stock-Reading & Neumann have just fin-Supt. and Mrs. John N. Davis accomton and Amherst, for month ending ished cutting about 1,200 cords of ice panied the team and were well pleased Feb. 14. Number of days taught, 20; for J. P. Malick, which has been with their visit to our neighboring city. number of pupils enrolled, 53; average stored in his ice houses on the West Democratic candidate for governor two The players from this city outclassed daily attendance, 34. Those not absent Side and near the west end of Normal the Wausau guards and center, but the during the month: Dewey Powell, avenue. This supply will not be sold the latter in a quiet, unfeeling manner. Wausau boys threw more field goals Joseph Cera, Edward Somers. Those to local consumers by Mr. Malcik, but than those from Stevens Point. The absent one day only: Regina Somers, will be held for shipment to o game throughout was snappy and was Mike Cera, Victoria Glodowski, Bertha points when the demand warrants. will be held for shipment to other Charles Dineen, Teacher.

School Report.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

joists, seven inches in width, properly fitted for use, including the punching of bolt holes

#### [First pub. Feb. 19-4 ins.]

RDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS and Notice to Creditors.—In Probate-rtage County Court. In the matter of the Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of the city of Stevens Pout will receive bids up to and including the 27th day of February, A. D. 1908, at 12 o'clock, noon, for will of Charles Steffanus, deceased. Letters testamentary on the will of Charles Steffanus, deceased, having been issued to Elizabeth Stellanus, It is Ordered that the time until and including the first Tuesday of September, A. D.

hereby allowed and limited for the creditors ance.
It Is Further Ordered, that all claims and

demands against the said Charles Steffanus, deceased, be received, examined and adjusted by this court at the county court adjusted by this court at the county court rooms, court house, in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, at the regular term thereof to be held on the first Tuesday of September, 1908.

It is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted for creditors to present their claims, be given by publication of this order and notice

ty, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof.
Dated this 18th day of February, 1908.

By the Court, JOHN A. MURAT, County Judge.



110 Strongs Avenue

Stevens Point, Wis. Feb. 18, 1908.

To Our Patrons:-

Thanking you for YOUR part of our past two weeks' sale, and assuring you it was the most successful in our whole business history, and calling your attention to the fact that we MADE GOOD in every instance, and trusting this same MAKING GOOD will convince you that what WE SAY, WE DO, we will say that while our stock has been greatly depleted, we still have a few numbers you can save money on.

These BARGAINS may not be shown in our windows, for we need the space for Spring Goods which are now arriving almost daily--and right here we "rise to remark" that our Spring Line will be the finest and most complete ever shown in this city. You may think it yet early to buy, but come and look at 'em anyway.

Tans will predominate. We will show a bewildering array of them in the new effects.

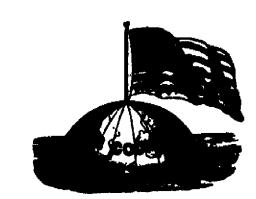
Our goods are from well known acknowledged leaders in the shoe industry, which places US, and US only, in a position to assure you of securing the latest designs and effects in the market. Tried and true lasts which fit "like your own footprint."

Stylish--comfortable--healthful--economical. These four words tell practically the whole story.

Folks from Missouri are especially invited. "There's a reason."

Yours very truly,

C. G. Macnish Co.



STEVENS POINT, WIS., FEBRUARY 19, 1908.

# NEWS OF A WEEK

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS GATH. ERED FROM ALL POINTS OF THE GLOBE.

#### GIVEN IN ITEMIZED FORM

Notable Happenings Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man-Summary of the Latest Home and Foreign Notes.

By direction of the president, Acting Secretary Oliver ordered a company of infantry from Fert Gibbon, in Alaska, to Fairbanks, in that territory, to preserve order during the mining strike in that section.

Indictments alleging perjury were returned in New York against former governor of New Jersey, Foster M. Voorhees, and Frank H. Combes, following a grand jury inquiry into the acts of these two men while they were officials of the Bankers' Life Insurance

to be good authority that W. B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, has decided to accept the presidency of the reorganized National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, Mo., which suspended payment during the late financial stringency.

Mrs. Martha Anderson was found dead, lying on a cot in her room in Janesville, Wis., with her throat cut from ear to ear. Investigations by the

cer on the gunboat Gloucester during the Spanish-American war took Admiral Cervera of the Spanish fleet off the burning flagship Infanta Maria

Newton Edmunds, former governor of Dakota territory and president of the Yankton National bank, died at Yankton of paralysis, aged 88 years.

The 11 laundries in Cincinnati under indictment for organizing a combine to raise prices pleaded guilty and each was fined \$50 and costs. The trust

rying first-class mail matter was charged against the American Express company in a suit filed in the United States district court at Cincinnati by

convicted of the murder of Henry Dickerman and sentenced to 14 years

petroleum, crude or refined, or its

the Duluth tournament.

proprietor of the Nineteenth Century, died in London.

The Mississippi senate passed the

pect of Raisuli, the Moroccan bandit, appearing on the variety stage in Lon-

hands of a receiver.

the Missouri W. C. T. U., died at Kansas City after a long illness, aged 65 years.

leader of a Black Hand society which caused the murder of a wealthy Italian at Lake Charles, La., was arrested at Hastings. Col.

The British steamer Roda, Capt. Burdis, from Huelva for New York with a cargo of iron ore, went ashore during a thick fog abreast of the Jones life-saving station, just below Amity-

Capt. E. B. Underwood has been chosen for the command of the cruiser Colorado, vice Capt. Sidney Stanton. who will be appointed a member of

inmates of the correctional institution

After an exciting debate lasting six hours which developed into a riot on the floor of the Japanese house of representatives, the financial budget was

Col. Andrew Wendell, a member of the squad of soldiers which captured J. Wilkes Booth, the assassin of Abraham Lincoln, and who was present

Charles A. Schmalhausen, postmaster at Bridgeport, Ill., committed suicide with a revolver

Bessie Graham, aged 21, teacher of jucted lover, Charles Boldt, who then | in his studio February 21, 1901.

Arthur Sullivan, a pioneer of southern Montana, died at Dillon, Mont.,

City, who has been enforcing the Sunday observance law, announced himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Missouri.

man, was shot and instantly killed by Luke Banner, a wealthy merchant of Elk Park, N. C. The six automobiles contesting in

from Times square, Forty-second street and Broadway, New York, cheered by a throng of several thousand people. Three of them arrived at Hudson, N. Y., the first evening.

with banquets and orations by distinguished men in many cities.

The Michigan Republican state central committee fixed May 12 as the date and Grand Rapids as the place for the state convention to elect delegates-at large to the national Repub-

While exercising in the Phillips Exeter academy gymnasium, Foster Holmes of Minneapolis, Minn., sustained injuries which were declared

Six men were killed by an explosion in a starch factory at Providence, R. I., and the building was wrecked and

Illinois state board of arbitration during the administration of Gov. Richard Yates, died at his home in Ashley, Ill.

at Clinton, Ill., told how a woman, alleged to be the wife of Rev. E. A. Hamilton, bartered her soul and sold into bondage her young daughter for some of the old millionaire's money.

Frank Vina, treasurer for various Bohemian fraternal organizations, who fied several weeks ago, when he was said to be many thousands of dollars short in his accounts, returned to Cleveland, O., and surrendered to the police.

Gov. Davidson appointed Frederick Thwaites and James F. Trottman of Milwaukee as regents of the Univer-

Fagen, a coachman, committed suicide in Minneapolis.

Ruth Miller, the four-year-old daughter of Charles Miller of Kansas City, Kan., died from the effects of eating candy from a box of poisoned bon bons sent through the mail to an older

City, Ia., committed suicide in the county hospital at Chicago by stab-

from Morris A. Heinmann of St. Louis, to be used in the Chicago balloon

State Senator William McKay died at Caro, Mich., after a year's illness following an operation for the removal

that the war department was at last in position to completely arm the orstrong, with the new high-power army cifie.

The Japanese method of wrestling.

the emperor. Rev. Father P. A. Baart, pastor of St. Mary's church of Marshall, Mich., and one of the recognized authorities in this country on the canonical law

age, former chief justice of the Ohio supreme court, died in Cleveland, O. Henry Schuelle, a wealthy contrac-

Resolutions indorsing the course of the national administration and favoring the nomination of Secretary of War Taft for the presidency were unanimously adopted by the Republican state central committee of Colo-

Carl Ludwig von Veltheim, who has had a most remarkable career of crime, was sentenced in London to 20 years' penal servitude for attempted

daughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and a graduate of the civil engineering course at Cornell, is to be married

Crown Prince Luiz were finally entombed at Lisbon. Thousands of persons rushed into the cathedral and the cavalry were forced to charge on the crowd to disperse it.

United States capitalists, headed by A. J. Earling, president of the Chicago. Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, are closing a deal for 160,-000 acres of virgin timber land in Br'tish Columbia

Mrs Dora McDonald, widow of Michael McDonald, king of Chicago gambiers, was declared by a Chicago a rural school at Carsonville, Minn., jury not guilty of the murder of Webwas shot and instantly killed by a relister Guerin, an artist who was killed

maries held throughout Ohio was: For William H. Taft, four delegatesat-large, and 22 district delegates to the national convention in Chicago, PEOPLE ASSIST IN BRINGING and a list of delegates to the state convention, to be held March 3, which

will be unanimously in his favor. Dr. A. M. Speer of Macon, Ga., was bound over on the charge of violating LOCAL WELFARE NEGLECTED the prohibition law in issuing prescriptions for alcohol.

Leavenworth, Kan., by a majority approximately 500, adopted a commission form of government patterned after that of Galveston.

Nine men were killed by an explosion in the Standard Explosive works at Vaudreuil, Canada.

The death sentence against Mrs. Violet Goold, who with her husband, Vere St. Leger Goold, was convicted of the murder of Emma Levin at Monte Carlo last summer, has been commuted to imprisonment for life. Fred Wigle, an actor, shot and in-

stantly killed his wife, Maud, and then committed suicide at a boarding house in Cleveland, O. Henry C. Mowry, former president of the Illinois Grain Dealers' associa-

tion and for more than 40 years a grain dealer in central Illinois, died at his home in Forsyth, Ill. The announcement that about 1,000, 000 robins have been killed by hunters this winter in Louislana, which is a

winter home for these birds, was made by Frank M. Miller, president of the Louisiana Audubon society. For signing the Viborg \*manifesto, Feodor Feodorovitch Kokoshkine, a scion of the ancient Rurik dynasty, now a professor in Moscow university and a prominent leader of the consti-

the Moscow nobility by a vote of 260 against 92. The executive committee of the Democratic Editorial association of Illinois issued a call for a meeting of the organization to be held in Springfield Friday, Feb. 21. On that day a state federation of Bryan clubs will be

The board of trustees of the Pontiac (III.. reformatory ordered the immediate dismissal of Capt. Alexander J. Renoe and Lieut. George Rogers, guards at the institution who were involved who died as a result of treatment at the reformatory.

A boarding house occupied by American miners at Santa Rosa, Sonora, Mex., was blown up with dynamite and 15 men who were eating dinner were blown through the roof. It is believed there was a conspiracy to murder all the Americans at Santa Rosa.

The Farmers' and Mechanics' bank at Rich Hill, Mo., was dynamited and robbed.

William H. Zinzer, for 47 years in the employ of the banking house of Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia, and for many years teller, committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid.

Coquelin, Cadet, the famous French comedian, is insane.

The Russian ministry of war is preof Vladivostok into a first-class fortress, involving expenditures of about \$6,000,000.

Gen. Bompiani and Baron Vincenzo Negi fought a duel with swords at Reggio de Calabria, Italy. Bompiani was seriously wounded.

Dr. John K. Fowler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, La Crosse, Wis., former moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of Wisconsin and one of the most prominent clergymen of his denomination in the northwest, died of peritonitis, aged 55.

"Black hand" operators exploded a

house where he was born nearly 75 years ago.

The Filipino assembly unseated Senor Gomez and declared his election

Count Boni de Castellane, the divorced husband of Anna Gould of New York, was found guilty by the correctional court in Paris of criminal assault and battery on Prince Helie de Sagan, his cousin, and fined \$20. The prince was awarded 20 cents damages.

Miss Maud Ashford of Washington announced that she was no longer engaged to Former United States Senator Henry G. Davis, the Democratic candidate for vice president in the last national campaign.

A squad of police raided Sharry Shomayim synagogue in Winnipeg. Man, and stopped a wedding being performed there on the ground that the Lord's day act says no work must be done on the Sabbath. Hugh Bonner, the old chief of the

New York fire department, who after his retirement from office because of political changes went to Cuba and then to the Philippines and organized the fire departments at Havana and Manila, has been appointed fire commissioner to succeed Francis J. Lantry, resigned

## The net result of the Republican pri-

ABOUT FINANCIAL DEPRESSION.

During Prosperous Times, Provision for the Future is ignored, and Natural Laws Afterward Exact the Penalty.

During the past ten years the business of the United States has increased in greater ratio than the population. The wealth of the country has also expanded in a like manner. Alarm has been expressed in the public press and from the rostrums as to the danger of the mammoth accumulations of wealth by a few in control of different industries. Great stress is laid upon the contention that in these vast accumulations of individual wealth there are elements that menace our free institutions. It is set forth that by legitimate earnings of many lifetimes, even from the time of Adam down to the present, an individual could not accumulate the monetary possessions of some of our great

How came about this aggregation of great wealth is a question that suggests itself. What particular conditions allowed the aggregation of such pyramids of money? Money is tutional democrats, was expelled from merely a representative of value, a medium for the exchange of commodities necessary in civilization. The values represented by money have as their standard labor, service, benefits. That there is danger in the sequestering of the circulating medium of the land and its equivalent in property, cannot be well denied. He who gains great wealth by exceptional or superior talents and by honest effort in combining circumstances to work to his advantage, is as much entitled to this wealth as is the toiler whose ability to do is limited to the earning of a few paltry dollars daily. But it is what can be done with vast wealth that is the question! It can be used for either good or evil. It depends upon the individual who possesses it. Money is a power for good as well as being "the root of all evil."

During the past decade the United States has never been more prosperous. Within the past few months there has been financial stringency, & reaction and a swinging back of the pendulum in a compensating way. This to the logician is merely the result of the workings of natural law. The husbandman does not always expect under natural conditions equal crops. A succession of large crops covering a period of four or five years will most likely be followed by poorer crops for a season or two. paring plans for the speedy conversion | Financial successes as well as panics alternate. There is a period of progress beyond the ordinary and then a decline. But it is possible for natural laws to be directed in a manner to better serve the people. Such wizards as Burbank, understanding the laws of progeneration and properly directing these laws, has brought into existence highest perfection in plant life. By a like exercise of high intelligence it is possible to control the accummulations of wealth, or rather to control the distribution of wealth and to protect against so-called panics.

vestments in large corporations. These creased, not considering the adverlarge corporations, which give strength tising received by this innovation.

Built Up by Advertising. Enterprise of high order ever de-

serves admiration. No one for a moment can doubt the ability of men who, starting on less than \$100, can managers of the world's greatest mail order house. There is no secret about order house is an example of persistattractive advertising. The mail order field is the world. The field of the field for the mail order houses. It mat have from one of its citizens, ters not whether it be the biggest mail order house or the smallest store in a little country town, advertising to show us what he is. Goothe.

tion, have evil elements which attach the stigma of dishonesty to great combinations for control of industries. While the per capita production of wealth within the United States has been great, it is evident that the

and stability to the country in a com-

mercial way, by manipulations of

those in control of them, by stock

gambling and other forms of specula-

masses of those who have created it by their labor have not received their full quota of compensation. For this the workers themselves are to blame. They have assisted along the unequal distribution of their earnings by ignoring simple principles of economy; and by so doing they have helped concentrate the wealth of the land in the hands of a comparative few. Were the money invested and spent in the large cities by the people of agricultion. Were the millions sent to the large cities for goods, that might as

well be purchased at home, retained within the communities where the dollars were earned, the distribution of wealth would be more equitable. Thus it can be seen that the producers, the workers, the masses in

the agricultural districts have carelessly assisted in bringing about conditions bordering upon panic. Depression in financial lines works to the detriment of the poorer classes. When financiers and kings in the business there is a scarcity of circulating medium, prices are forced to the lowest level. Thus those with money can buy at lowest prices. When the pendulum swings the other way and values advance, the fortunate possessor of wealth who bought in a low market finds his wealth increased.

is a simple one.

Tillers of the Soil to Be on Equality with People of Towns.

machinery proposes placing on the market at an early date an automobile especially designed for farm use. This machine will be sold at a reasonable price, and will be put out in various styles ranging from a runabout to a heavy farm truck, which the farmer can use in transporting his grain and other produce to the markets.

the railroad stations and the markets is a question of economy. It is estimated that at the present time it costs the farmer about nine cents per hundred pounds to carry his grain a distance of 12 miles to the railroad station or market place. It is expected that the installation of automobiles for hauling purposes will decrease the expense to three or four cents per hundred pounds. The coming of the farm automobile means furbe more energetic workers, in fact, enthusiasts for high-class highways.

Another use of the automobile in agricultural districts is its employment by merchants for delivering The United States has \$6,000,000 of goods to patrons in the country. In people. Three-fifths of these people a number of eastern states enterpristhe home of Vincenzo Manelli, in reside outside of large cities and ing merchants send out their clerks Rochester, N. Y., and blew the entire towns. With prosperity coming to with automobiles in the morning to side of the building into fragments. them they have been neglectful of a solicit the orders of the people resid-Several persons in the house were duty to the sections wherein they reling on the nearby farms, and use the side, and have allowed systems to automobile for delivering goods in the withdraw to the large financial cen- afternoon. Merchants who have wich village," now a part of New ters their surplus earnings. These adopted this plan have found it prof-York, died on the doorstep of the earnings have found their way as in- itable and their business greatly in-

principles apply to one as well as to

Where Some Citizens Fail in Duty.

Many who have succeeded upon the within 25 years build up a business farms remove to the near-by town amounting to more than \$69,000,000 to enjoy life, perhaps to give to their annually. This is the record of the children the advantages that the good schools of the place afford. It is too often the case that these people fail this great success. It is simply a mat- to become the model town citizens ter of judicious advertising. The mail they should be. While they are desirous of having all the advantages that ency, of careful, shrewd and highly the town has to offer they are adverse to doing that which means its improvement and upbuilding. These local merchant is comprised within ap- classes are the "moss-backs," the ones proximately a hundred square miles who think that they have done their The mail order houses attract trade duty toward themselves and their felfrom the local merchants' hundred low men when they manage to earn square miles wherever the local mer-sufficient on the farm so that they can cipitated a teacher and 60 pupils into chants are found lacking as wide cease work. It may be their privawake advertisers. But in the dis- ilege to quit labor, but they show a many of them in a frightful manner tricts where there are live storekeep- | poor and lowly spirit when they fail ers, who realize the value of printers' to give the town which they select as ink, there is no profitable or productive a home place the support it should

TYLER, TEX., DEVASTATED BY TERRIFIC WINDSTORM.

SEVERAL PERSONS DEAD

Towns of Mossville, Soso and Service, In Mississippi, Are Blown Away and Many Killed.

Tyler, Tex.-Tyler was swept by the most disastrous tornado in its history Friday morning about four o'clock. Coming up from the southwest, the storm swept over the main residence section of the city, leaving a trail of death and devastation.

The known dead in Tyler number four, C. A. Francis, agent of the Dallas News, wife and child about one year old, and a negro named Moses Lee, 80 years of age.

Francis was about 28 years of age and occupied a high place in the esteem of his fellow-townsmen. His dead body was found 100 yards from his wrecked home, and the body of his child was found in the street. Mrs. Francis was in the wreckage of the building.

Six persons were seriously injured. They were Irwin Franklin, Mrs. Franklin and their four children. One of the children is expected to die. They were caught in the wreckage of their

Hattiesburg, Miss.-Shortly after noon Friday a tornado passed over Jones county, north of here, and one whole town, Mossville, ten miles from Laurel, Miss., is reported blown away. All that is left is the depot of the Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City railroad. The town had a population of some 500 people.

The noon north-bound passenger train got a few miles north of Laurel and could not proceed because of the wreckage, and returned to Laurel at two o'clock. The passengers said they saw half ? dozen dead negroes, but could not estimate the probable number killed. At Service, Miss., near Laurel, the home of Ike Holloway (white) was blown away and two of his children killed.

The town of Soso, as well as the town of Service, on the Laurel branch of the Gulf & Ship Island railroad, were blown away.

CHILEANS GREET THE FLEET.

American Battleships Reviewed in Bay of Valparaiso.

Valparaiso, Chile.—The great American fleet of 16 battleships, under the command of Rear Admiral Evans, passed Valparaiso Friday afternoon and continued on its voyage northward for Callao, Peru, the next stopping place.

All Valparaiso and thousands of persons from other cities in Chile witnessed the passing of the fleet. President Montt and the other high officials of the republic went out from shore to greet the battleships, and almost the entire Chilean navy exchanged salutes with them as they swung around Curaumilla Point and into Valparaiso bay in single file, headed by the Chilean cruiser Chacabuco and five Chilean torpedo boat destroyers.

FOR BRYAN TO THE FINISH.

Wisconsin Democratic Convention So instructs its Delegates.

Milwaukee.—The Wisconsin delegation to the national Democratic convention at Denver. Col., at the closing session of the state convention Friday, was instructed to vote as a unit for William J. Brvan as the Democratic nominee for president, first, last and all the time.

The platform containing the instructions was unanimously adopted by the convention by a rising vote.

FIRE IN A COURTHOUSE.

Kings County Building in Brooklyn Damaged \$75,000.

New York.-Damage amounting to probably \$75,000 was done, oil paintings of judges who have presided in Brooklyn in the last half century were water-soaked and valuable records narrowly escaped destruction late Friday, when fire swept through the upper part of the Kings county courthouse in Brooklyn.

Explosion Injures Children.

Adrian, Mo.-An explosion of a boiler in the basement of the public school here Friday tore away the floor of the primary department and prethe basement, burning and scalding

Annapolis Professor Dies.

Annapolis, Md -- Prof W F. C Hascon of the Academic force at the naval academy died here Friday. He graduated from the academy in the engineering class in 1880.



BEATO .....

It was stated on what was believed

police indicate she was murdered. George H. Norman, who as an offi-

Teresa, died in Brookline, Mass.

also agreed to dissolve. Violation of the postal laws by car-

District Attorney McPherson. Clyde Gant of Belleville, Ill., was

in the penitentiary. That the fight of the administration against the Standard Oil company was "only a bluff" was asserted in the house of representatives by Mr. Rainey of Illinois, who spoke at length on his bill placing on the free list

products. John E. Venson set a new American record by jumping 116 feet on skis at

Sir James Knowles, founder and

house statutory prohibition bill. It is announced that there is a pros-

The Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad company was put in the Mrs. Ciara C. Hoffman, president of

Charles Peccorino, said to be the

ville, Long Island.

the general board of the navy. One boy was stabbed to death and three wounded during a fight among

in Randalls Island, New York. passed by a majority of 102.

when Booth was shot, died at his home in Chicago.

trially wounded Manuelf.

aged 90.

Judge W. H. Wallace of Kansas

A. H. Cline, a prominent lumber-

the New York-to-Paris race started

Lincoln's birthday was celebrated

lican convention.

to be very dangerous.

Chauncey B. Geiger, president of the

Letters read in the Snell will case

sity of Wisconsin. Haunted by a dream in which he

sister. William Andrews, formerly of Sioux

bing himself with a pair of scissors. Charles A. Coey, president of the Aeronautique club of Chicago purchased a 100,000-cubic foot balloon

races July 2, 3 and 4.

of a tumor. Acting Secretary Oliver announced ganized militia of the country, 100,000

jiu-jitsu, is to be introduced into all the military and naval gymnasia of Germany at the express command of

of the Roman Catholic church, died from pneumonia. Franklin J. Dickman, 80 years of

tor of Alton, Ill., confessed that he had been a burglar for years.

blackmail. Miss Nora Stanton-Blatch, grand-

to Dr. Lee de Forest, the inventor. The bodies of King Carlos and

tural communities, invested in local enterprises, just so much would have been done to guard against concentra-

Panics can be averted by the masses if only proper fudgment be used during times of prosperity, and provision made for equalization and for few contingencies. In each local community this can be provided for best by keeping within that community the surplus earnings of the people instead of sending the surplus elsewhere. The remedy

D. M. CARR.

AUTOMOBILES FOR THE FARM.

One of the large companies engaged in the manufacturing of farm

Transportation of farm produce to ther improvement of roads. Already the automobile and the rural delivery of mail has worked wonders in the way of stimulating interest in road improvement. Once the farmers become automobile users they will

the other.

The best end of all a man's work is

By VALERIE HOPE

of George Washington in a rigid attitude, with sternly compressed lips and generally forbidding expression. that we forget he was ever young and a human being of flesh and blood like the rest of us.

Instead of being a cold-blooded prig Washington was magnetic in personality and a great social favorite. He was the finest horseman in Virginia, an exceedingly graceful dancer and a dandy in ruffles, gold lace, velvet, silk stockings and diamond buckles, who caused a flurry in feminine hearts whenever he appeared.

Young Washington was always falling in love, and after his engagement to Mrs. Custis was announced his mother wrote to a friend: "I have had a great deal of trouble with George. but it is all over now." His first attack of the heart occurred when he was 15 years old, and the object of his affections was Miss Frances Alexander, aged 17, whose father's plantation adjoined Mount Vernon.

Imagine him pining and sighing and grating his teeth in despair, just like any young American lover in these days! It is amusing now, but at that time it was a very serious matter to George Washington! Not much is known of this courtship, and soon after he lost his heart to Miss Lucy Grymes, whom he often referred to afterward as his "Lowland Beauty."

About this time Washington wrote a letter to "Dear Sally," in which he said: "I am almost discouraged from writing to you as' this is my fourth to you since I reed any from yourself. I hope you'll not make the Old Proverb good out of sight out of Mind as it's one of the greatest pleasures in living in Fairfax in often hearing from you and hope you'll not deny me.

"I pass the time much more agreebler than what I imagined I should as there's a very agreeable Young Lady

We are so accustomed to pictures | In a soft hilling sleep and gentle repose Possess those joys denied by Day.

There is a letter on record in which Washington asked Mr. Fauntleroy's permission to make a proposal of marriage to his daughter "in the hope of a revocation of a former cruel sentence." But the father's reply was unfavorable, as usual, and Miss Betsy afterwards married Thomas Adams of Williamsburg. It is a tradition of that town that after her rejected suitor became famous and visited Williamsburg as the guest of the people she watched the triumphant pageant from a window and when the great hero saw her he waved his sword and saluted her, whereupon the lady faint-

On another occasion he fell in love with Miss Mary Phillipse, the beautiful daughter of a wealthy Englishman who lived in a superb mansion on the Hudson near West Point. Washington promptly proposed, but was told that somebody else's coquette was already engaged to be married. Washington said afterward that he thought things might have resulted differently if he had waited "till the lady was in the mood." There was a tragic ending to this romance years after, when the haughty creature who had spurned the hand of the commander of the American forces was arrested as an English spy. She was thrown into prison and all of her property was confiscated.

Washington was too wise to turn into a woman hater merely because he had been thrown down three times in succession. He knew there were plenty of pretty fish in the aquarium and that it would be only a matter of time when he'd make a good catch. That time came just two years after he was jilted by Miss Phillipse, and it happened in this way: Col. Washington was on his way to Williamsburg on official business, and while crossing Williams ferry was accosted Lives in the same house where I re | by a hospitable old gentleman, who



side (Miss Mary Cary) that in a great | asked him to rest a while at his home measure cheats my sorrow and dejectedness the not so as to draw my thoughts from your Parts. I could wish to be with you down there with all my heart but as it is a thing almost impractakable, I shall rest myself where I am with hopes of shortly having some minutes of your transactions."

So we find the susceptible George interested in three fair damsels at he had supposed! once: "Sally," the "Lowland Beauty" and Miss Mary Cary, which recalls the story of the man who could never shoot a bird, because just as he had aimed and was ready to shoot at one bird another bird flew in the way.

In 1753 Lucy Grymes, the Lowland Beauty, married Henry Lee and became the mother of "Light-horse Harry," the Custer of the revolution.

One of Washington's most serious love affairs was with Miss Mary Carv. and there is no doubt that she was in love with him, but her father prevented the marriage by handing out the Alaskan negative.

Miss Cary afterwards married a young swell. Edward Ambler, who died young, and his pretty widow was often a guest at Mount Vernon after Washington's marriage. The Cary romance extended over several years. but in the meantime there were others. It is consoling to know that Washington was buman enough to ocand the thing he fell down on hardest i was writing poetry. The following was composed when he was a major and about 20 years old. It was addressed to Miss Betsy Fauntleroy: "Oh, ye Gods why should my Poor Re-

notiess Heart stand to oppose thy might and Power. At last surrender to Cupid's feathered

And new lays bleeding every Hour For her that's Phyless of my grief and

And will not on me pity take, The sleep amongst my most inveterate

And with Gladness never wish to wake, a dejuding sleepings let my eyelids close that is an enturtured Dream I may

in the neighborhood. The colonel answered that his pressing business would not permit the time. But, as an inducement, the old gentleman mentioned that among the guests at his house was the handsomest young widow in all Virginia! That changed matters. The young colonel smiled,

hesitated, and then-well, then he decided that he had more time than

Upon reaching the house he was introduced to the fascinating widow, Mrs. Martha Parke Custis, and we can imagine the coy glances of this enticing young creature, for it was a case of love at first sight. And instead of getting away in a few hours as he had intended, old Bishop, the colonel's servant, held his horse in readiness for hours and hours. But his master didn't come. In fact his delighted host had little difficulty in persuading him to stay until the next

Washington had just returned from a brilliant campaign, was gallant, young and handsome, and the clever widow didn't lose any time bringing down her game! A few days later Col. Washington visited Mrs. Custis at her own beautiful home and this time he offered his heart and sword with success. It is quite evident that a propitious reception awaited him, for on the way to the house he asked a slave casionally do something amateurish, if Mrs. Custis was at home, and he said, "Yes, sah, I reckon you'se the gen'leman what's 'spected." They did not meet again till their marriage six months later.

At that time Martha Custis was 27 years old-just three months younger than her fiance. She was short, had eyes that snapped, her manner was very gay, and she was thought by some to be the most beautiful woman in America. She was the wealthiest woman in the old dominion and the mother of four children, two of whom were living. The marriage took place at the home of the bride in January. 1759. The exact date is uncertain.

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST IN THE VARIOUS TOWNS.

ROBERT FARGO IS NO MORE

Lake Mills Banker and Philanthropist Dies of Pneumonia, Aged 79 Years at His Home in Lake

Mills.

Lake Mills.-Robert Fargo, one of the best known citizens of Lake Mills, died of pneumonia at the age of 79 years. He had been a resident of Lake Mills since 1847 and had been an important factor in its development. For many years he was a prominent merchant and later organized the Bank of Lake Mills. He was connected with the Methodist church, the public school and the public library. The funeral was held at his late home.

La Crosse.-Miss Ruth Bleekman. daughter of A. E. Bleekman, a prominent lawyer, whose father died several weeks ago and came here to attend her father's funeral, was taken ill with diphtheria and is dead. Miss Bleekman was a teacher in the high school at Calumet, Mich.

Galesville .- Dr. C. H. Farrand, the leading lumberman of Galesville and an important figure in the business world of western Wisconsin, died. aged 63. The deceased was identified with a number of business enterprises in Galesville, Onalaska and La Crosse. He was a veteran of the civil war.

CHICKEN HAS HUMAN FACE.

Fowl with Nose, Chin and Cheeks Is Discovered by Owner.

Preston.-A chicken with a human fact is attracting attention in Preston. It was secured by Edward Johnson from a flock in this vicinity. The fowl is a year old and had attracted no attention until it appeared sick, when its owner discovered the wonderful likeness. The hen has no bill whatever, but in its place is a perfectly formed nose. It has also a chin and

Fire Chief Heads Probe.

Manitowoc.—As a result of the loss of the two per cent. tax on fire insurance premiums and the fact that large property interests in Manitowoc are insured in outside companies which do not pay taxes here toward maintaining the fire department, an investigation is under way, headed by Fire

To Finish Pier Work.

Marinette. Two of the bis corcrete. piers on the new Milwaukee road bridge have been completed and the third will be finished soon. The two piers completed are located at either end of the proposed structure, and the third and last is located in the middle of the river midway between the other

Farmer in Fearful Accident.

Mauston.-A. Radloff, a farmer living in Seven-Mile creek, was struck ing. by a passenger train on the Milwaukee road, and severely injured. His team was killed. Radloff was carried over a mile to the station on the pilot of the engine before he was found by the trainmen.

Becomes Kaukauna Pastor. Kaukauna.-The Rt. Rev. Mgr. P. J. Lochman, who has been connected time, became pastor of the Holy Cross congregation at Kaukauna. He makes his residence at that place, but

continues in the office of vicar general. Soon to Begin Canal.

Marinette.—Capt. Martin of this city, who has taken the contract for digging the Marinette county drainage canal, is at present getting his big dredge in shape for the work and will 300n start his operations at the Peshtigo end and work northwest.

Cadetship Is Open.

Neillsville.—Placido Hommel, a Porto Rican adopted by Maj. J. W. Hommel of this city, has received notice that the West Point cadetship from this district is open to him. He was first alternate in the examination two months ago.

Good Record by Hospital.

Eau Claire.-Over 1,600 patients received treatment at the Sacred Heart hospital last year, and over 700 operations were performed. Out of all this number only 50 died.

Liquor Price Advances.

price of beer. The increase is 40 O'Neill in Hasting's Place.

have inaugurated an adavance in the

Neillsville.-Judge James O'Neill held court at Green Bay for Judge Hastings.

To Improve Levee. La Crosse.—A movement is on foot to improve the levee between State present plan is carried out it will be making the La Crosse river front one of the finest along the upper river.

Arson Mystery Unsolved,

La Crosse.-After the arrest of John Olson on a charge of arson in connection with several suspicious fires, a barn burned down and the mystery remained unsolved.

GIRL MAZEPPA RIDES STEER.

Tossed into Branches,

Jersey City, N. J.-No property man ever arranged stage effects for a melodrama better than those accidentally arranged for Miss Phoebe Polhemus and Miss Jessie Cavanagh, two Jersey City girls, who were visiting their

ville. N. J., the other day. A half crazed steer was the villain. He charged the two girls as they were crossing a rocky pasture. Miss Polhemus was several hurdred feet head of her companion, who wore a red shawl. The steer rushed at Miss Cavanagh with lowered head and angry bellows. The girls took to flight, screaming.

Miss Polhemus climbed a small birch tree, which sagged under her as she went higher. Just when she seemed about to lose her hold she felt the tree shake violently and she

The girl landed upon the back of the steer, which she clutched as a drowning man clutches a plank. The steer bounded off across the uneven ground, carrying her a quarter of a mile before it stumbled and fell. throwing Miss Polhemus over its head.

The shock that had shaken Miss Polhemus out of the tree was caused by Miss Cavanagh being tossed by the steer into the branches. When Farmer Cavanagh rushed to the assistance of his nieces he found Jessie hanging from a limb by her skirts. The girls were hysterical. Miss Cavanagh was badly bruised and will be kept to her bed for several days.

HUSBAND AND WIFE SWAP JOBS.

Man Takes Care of the House and Woman Goes to the Factory.

Winsted, Conn.-Joe Whitcomb got tired of his job in the factory; his wife got tired of doing the housework.

"What d'ye say to swapping jobs, Julia?" asked John.

"Suits me up and down," answered Julia. "I can do your work and you can make a good bluff at keeping house. We'll try it for awhile, any-

Mrs. Whitcomb was familiar with her husband's work and had little trouble making good. Joe did the washing, swept the floors and saw that the baby, who was creeping, didn't pick up too many slivers; but he fell down on the cooking. The new arrangement has been operation a week now, and both are well satisfied.

"I've got all the best of it one way," said Joe. "I handle the money. Before I only carried it away from the shop to her lap. Now she forks over every penny to me. You'll have to excuse me. I think them biskits is burpin!"

MAN IS CONSCIENCE SMITTEN.

Iowan Who Beat Railroad Three Years Ago Remits Money.

Brainerd, Minn.,-Superintendent W. H. Strachan of the Minnesota & International has received a letter which he says is the first of the kind he ever saw in his long experience in railroad-

It was written by a man now living in Des Moines, Ia., and inclosed five dollars to pay the railroad company for fare from Brainerd to Tenstrike, which the writer said he got through misrepresentation. In 1905, when the combany was building the extension from Northome to Big Falls, the writer went to Mr. Strachan and, claiming to be a laborer who wanted to go up to work with the bishop's house for some for the company, he secured a pass to Northome, but instead of going to that place he stopped at Tenstrike.

He has since experienced religion and desired to make right the wrong he had done the company and so sent the money. Mr. Strachan states that the fare to Tenstrike is only \$3.94 and Mr. Strachan will return the surplus to the sender of the letter.

LANDLORD SMOKED 'EM OUT.

Now He Is Sued for Damaging Tenant's Household Goods.

Pittsburg.-Because Frederick Janhovicz refused to move from his home on Brereton avenue he declares that his landlord, Wincenty Schumanski, placed a board on top of his chimney and tried for two weeks to smoke the family out.

Jankovicz says his children all became sick and his household goods were completely ruined by smoke, and he began suit against the landlord for \$10,000 damages.

When Jankovicz mounted to the roof and removed the board that covered the flue he says Schumanski en-Kewaunee.-Brewers of the city tered charges against him of malicious mischief. At the end of the two weeks the family was almost frozen cents on keg beer and 20 cents on and dependent on the neighbors for any cooked food that came to their table, the plaintiff declares.

> Choctaws to Go to Mexico. Tushkahoma, I. T .- A commission

of chiefs has closed a deal for the Choctaw Indians for about 100,000 acres of land in Mexico. The tract is located in the states of Pueblo and Oaxaca and combines mountain and and Mount Vernon streets, and if the stream and prairie as an immense hunting reservation. The prices agreed the beginning of what may result in upon range from one to five dollars an The Choctaws have been dissatisfied

> with their lands in the territory, and negotiations for lands in Mexico have been pending for two years. They will go to Mexico as soon as they are able to dispose of their territory lands. There is now \$600,000 in the tribal funds.

SAFE TIP.

Willie - Say, dad, I'll bet you there won't be any more plaster falling off the ceiling under the

day,

A Doctor Says it Weakens the Heart.

German physician, "no one can truthfully say that coffee agrees with him, as it has long since been proven that caffeine, contained in coffee, is an injurious, poisonous substance which weakens and degenerates the heart muscles.

"For this reason the regular use of

"Convinced of this fact, I have often and among patients.

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Wellville," in pkgs.



might have that dress made a little higher in the neck.

Young Wifey-I'll have it altered if you like, but this stuff costs three guineas a yard.

Old Hubby-H'm!-well, it doesn't

How It Was Done.

Mother (examining school report) -How did you come to have such good marks in arithmetic this week?

Tommy-Well, you see, it was this way: We had ten examples a day. and I got the teacher to help me to do five, and Eric Jones got her to help him on the other five. Then we swapped helps, see?-Harper's Bazar.

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An All-Round Man.

William V. McManus, the new president of the Letter Carriers' association of New York, had been discussing the ideal letter carrier. With a laugh he ended:

"Yes, the ideal letter carrier needs to be as all-round, as many-sided, as divinely gifted, as the man a Cincinnati suburbanite advertised for last month. "The advertisement ran:

"'Wanted-A man able to teach Spanish, water color painting, and the

Case for an Expert. "Have you fixed up my will just the way I told you?" asked the sick man, who was the possessor of many needy

violin, and to look after the bull."

"I have," asserted the lawyer. "Just as strong and tight as you

can make it, eh?" asked the client. The lawyer nodded. "All right," said the sick man. "Now I want to ask you one thingnot professionally-who do you think stands the best chance of getting the

property when I'm gone?"-Youth's Companion.

Change of Mind. The tattooing craze was the rage among the smart set at the time of the South Afrean war, it is now the rage in the slums among the humbler classes, especially girls, who pay threepence for the operation.

A tattooer said that this business thrives on love. A girl came into his studio the other day and had "I love

Jim Curley" tattooed on her arm. About half-past five the next morning the girl knocked at his door and on being remonstrated with said: "I don't care if yer charges me five shillin's. 'Ere, kiver this up," she ex-

claimed, baring the tattooed arm.

nursery.

Dad - Why, Billy?

Willie - 'Cause they ain't no more left. We bumped it all off yester-

COFFEE DRINKING

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Mr. Johnson Willing to Give Weil-Written Note of Hand.

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not always appreciate. "I'd like to borrow fes' a little money ob you," said Mr. Johnson, confidentially, to a friend. "I-I wouldn't ax you fo' it, but I ain' got a single cent left in de worl'."

"What seculity can you gib me?" asked his friend, without any enthusi-"Why, I gib you my note ob hand!"

and Mr. Johnson looked pained and amazed at such a question. "I reckon you don' know what a good, clear handwriting I got in de ebening school."-Youth's Companion.

BABY CRIED AND SCRATCHED

All the Time-Covered with Torturing Eczema-Doctor Said Sores Would Last for Years-Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"My baby niece was suffering from that terrible torture, eczema. It was all over her body but the worst was on her face and hands. She cried and scratched all the time and could not sleep night or day from the scratching. I had her under the doctor's care for a year and a half and he seemed to do her no good. I took her to the best doctor in the city and he said that she would have the sores until she was six years old. But if I relatives and some well to do grasning had depended on the doctor my baby would have lost ner mind and died from the want of aid. But I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and she was cured in three months. Alice L. Dowell, 4769 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., May 2 and 20, 1907."

Out of the Usual.

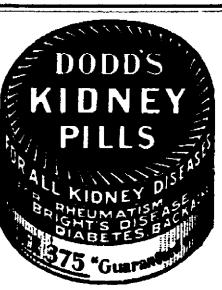
"Guess where I've been," said a man at the noonday lunch counter. "It is a city where in at least two churches they have little cuspidors which match the decorations of the church in the corners of the pews. In the vestibule of one of the large churches hangs a sign to this effect: 'No Spitting Allowed Inside the Church, Throw Away Your Tobacco as You Enter the Vestibule. This

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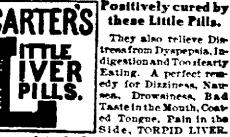
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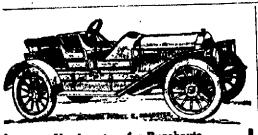
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One to Three at Whist. The late Senator Hoar was extremely fond of whist, which he played

with remarkable skill. A friend says that the only time he ever knew the usually placid and absolutely impatient was when on good marks in arithmetic this week? genial man from Masachusetts to be an unusually stupid partner. Notwith- way: We had ten examples a day,

In the middle of one game, some swapped helps, see?—Harper's Bazar. players. one paused behind the senator's chair and asked, "Well, senator, how are you getting on?"

adversaries."—Sunday Magazine.

THEIR DEGREES OF HAPPINESS.

Marital Relations of Rural Postmasters Not Ali Serene.

The chief clerk of the post office department at Washington recently sent to all the postmasters in the country a list of questions asking for certain information, says the New York Sun, to be used in the preparation of the government Blue Book. One of the questions in the list was, "What are your marital relations?"

The object of this particular question was to find out whether the postmasters are married, single, widowed or divorced. But some of the rural postmasters did not understand, and many answers were received in which the persons addressed endeavored to give a clear and lucid explanation of the status of their married life. One postmaster briefly stated that his domestic affairs were "Fine and dandy." Another, not so fortunate, replied: "Fairly middling." while a third filled in the blank space with two words: "The worst."

How It Was Done.

Mother (examining school report) -How did you come to have such Tommy-Well, you see, it was this tanding this handicap, the pair were and I got the teacher to help me to do winning right along even against good live, and Eric Jones got her to help him on the other five. Then we

On every occasion that leads thee to vexation apply this principle—that "Very well, indeed," was the reply, though this is a misfortune, to bear it "In view of the fact that I have three nobly is good fortune.—Marcus Au-

VOLUMES MIGHT BE WRITTEN

Of the Success That Awaits the Farmer in Western Canada.

The story of wheat farming in Western Canada (that portion of Canada lying north of Dakota and Montana) has been frequently told, but it will stand a lot of telling, and still retain its touch of interest. During the year just closed 277,376 persons made their homes in Canada as compared with 215,912 for the year 1906, an increase of 61,464. Those from the United States numbered 56,551. A writer in "Industry" recently said: "To-day the Dominion of Canada is witnessing a 'mightier movement of population "than ever stimulated a Biblical writ-"er to pen a chapter of Scripture." The same writer says: "From the Rhine "and the Rhone river valleys; from "the port cities of Germany and the "farms of the Fatherland, from the "peasant soil of Russia; and out from "the grimy Lancashire and over-popu-"lated Yorkshire, the discontented "and ambitious of every clime are "seeking to take advantage of the "opportunities afforded by the fertile "soil and exhilarating climate of the "Empire of the North." Continuing the same writer says:

While a million human beings throng "the shores of the United States every "year, the smaller number arriving in "Canada come with a more well-de-"fined purpose." The question has been asked why do these people come to Canada? The available land between the Mississippi and the Pacific has been exhausted, and the farmers within that territory find that their sons have to seek newer climes. Canada offers one hundred and sixty acres of land free to each. This land yields from 20 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre. In Southern Alberta, the winter wheat belt of Canada, as high as 60 bushels per acre have been harvested. Less yields than the one mentioned have netted the farmer as much as \$35 per acre. There are no words that tell the tale so effectively as those of the farmer himself, the man who has ploughed the fields, sowed the grain, and with folded hands rests while nature, bounteous in that country, in less than three months, placed at his disposal hundreds of acres of ripened grain, now waiting the arrival of the reaper, and therefore we reproduce the following letter.

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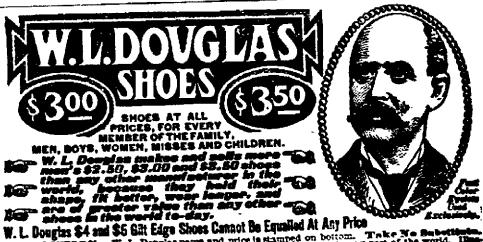


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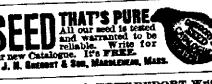
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SYNOPSIS.

Chip McGuire, a 16-year-old girl living at Tim's place in the Maine woods is sold by her father to Pete Boldue, a half-breed. She runs away and reaches the camp of Martin Frisbie, occupied by Martin, his wife, nephew, Raymond Stet-san, and guides. She tells her story and is cared for by Mrs. Frishie. Journey of Frishie's party into woods to visit father of Mrs. Frishie's an old hermit, who has resuled in the wilderness for many years. When camp is broken Chip and Ray occupy same canoe. The party reach camp of Mrs. Frishie's father and are welcomed by him and Cy Walker, an old friend and former townsman of the hermit. They sattle down for summer's mit. They settle down for summer's stay. Chip and Ray are in love, but no one realizes this but Cy Walker. Strange cance marks found on lake shore in front of their cabin. Strange smoke is seen across the lake. Martin and Levi leave for settlement to get officers to arrest McGuire, who is known as outlaw and murderer. Chip's one woods Tomah, an Indian, visits camp. Ray believes he sees a bear on the ridge. Chip is stolen by Pete Bolduc who escapes with her in a canoe. Chip is res-cued by Martin and Levi as they are returning from the settlement. Bolduc escapes Old Cy proposes to Ray that he remain in the woods with himself and Amzi and trap during the winter, and he concludes to do so. Others of the party return to Greenvale, taking Chip with them. Chip starts to school in Greenvale, the two fight to the death, finding a watery grave, together. Ray returns to Greenvale and finds Chip waiting for him. Ray wants Chip to return to the him. Hay wants Chip to return to the woods with them, but she, feeling that the old comradeship with Ray has been broken, refuses. When they part, however, it is as lovers. Chip runs away from Aunt Comfort's and finds another home with Judson Walker. She gives her name as Yara Paymond. name as Vera Raymond.

#### CHAPTER XXI.—Continued. And so her new life began.

But the change was not made with-

out some cost to her feelings, for heartstrings reach far, and Miss Phinney and her months of patient teaching were not forgotten. Aunt Comfort and her benign face

oft returned to Chip, "and dear Old Cy," as she always thought of him, still oftener. Ray's face also lingered in her heart. Now and then she caught herself humming some darky song, and never once did the moon smile into this quiet vale that her thoughts did not speed back to that wildwood lake, with its rippled path of silver, the dark bordering forest, and how she wielded a paddle while her young lover picked his banjo.

No word or hint of all this bygone life and romance ever fell from her lips. It was a page in her memory that must never be turned—an idyl to be forgotten-and yet forget it she could not, in spite of will or

And now as the summer days sped by, and Chip helping Uncle Jud in the meadows or Aunt Mandy about the house, and winning love from both, saw a new realm open before her. There was in the sitting room of this quaint home a tall bookcase, its shelves filled with a motley collection of books; works on science, astronomy, geology, botany, and the like; books of travel and adventure; stories of strange countries and people never heard of by Chip; and novels by Scott, Lever, Cooper, and Hardy. These last, especially Scott and Cooper, appealed most to Chip, and once she began them, every spare hour, and often until long past midnight, she became lost in this new world.

"I know all about how folks live in the woods," she said one Sunday to Uncle Jud, when half through "The Deerslayer." "I was brought up there. I know how Injuns live, and what they believe. I had an old Injun friend once. I've got the moccasins and fur cape he gave me now. His name was Tomah, 'n' he believed in queer things that sometimes creep an' sometimes run faster'n we can.'

It was her first reference to her old life, but once begun, she never paused until all her queer history had been related.

"I didn't mean to tell it," she explained in conclusion, "for I don't want nobody to know where I came from, an' I hope you won't tell."

How near she came to disclosing what was of far more importance to herself and these people than old Tomah's superstition she never knew, or people, and improve faster." that all that saved her was her reference to Old Cy by that name only.

More than that, she had no suspicion that this kindly old man, so much like him in looks and speech. was his brother.

With the coming of September, how-Abby's comin' to stay with us a spell,"

days later Chip, dressed in her best, had known how Chip felt about that same solemn character, the minister's rode to the station with Uncle Jud feature, it would have been left un- prayers even longer, and the preachin the old carryall, and there met this mentioned.

she had now become to Uncle Jud and Aunt Mandy, whose speech, like her own, was not "book larned." and for this reason Chip felt afraid of her. So much so, in fact, that for a few days she scarce dared to speak

Her timidity wore away in due time, for Aunt Abby-a counterpart of her sister-was in no wise awe inspiring. She saw Chip as she was, and soon felt an interest in her and her peculiar history, or what was known of it. She also noted Chip's interest in books, and guessing more than she had been told, was not long in forming correct conclusions.

"What do you intend to do with this runaway girl?" she said one day to her sister, "keep her here and let her grow up in ignorance, or what?"

"Wal, we ain't thought much about that," responded Mandy, "at least not yet. She ain't got no relations to look arter her, so far ez we kin larn. She's company for us, 'n' willin'. Uncle Jud sets lots of store by her. She is with him from morn till night. and handy at all sorts o' work. This is how 'tis with us here, an' now what

For a moment Aunt Abby meditated. "You ought to do your duty by her." she said at last, "and she certainly needs more schooling.'

"We can send her down to the Corners when school begins, if you think we orter," returned her sister, timidly; but we hate to lose her now. We've kinder took to her, you see."

"I hardly think that will do," answered Aunt Abby, knowing as she dld that the three R's comprised the full extent of an education at the Corners. "What she needs is a chance to mingle with more people than she can here, and learn the ways of the

she ought to go back with me for a year or two, at least, and then we can interest of Miss Phinny. decide what is best." "There's one thing ye ain't thought

feel she was earnin' her keep. She's peculiar in that way, 'n' can't stand feelin' she's dependent. How you goin' Mr. Bell, the master. to get round that?" "Just as you do," returned Aunt Abby, not at all discouraged. "We live about as you do, as you know. only Mr. Bemis has the mill; and she

can help me about the house, as she

But Chip's own consent to this new plan was the hardest to obtain.

"I'll do just as Uncle Jud wants me to," she responded, when Aunt Abby with its vastness seemed to awe her. proposed the change; "but I'd hate to The great house, brown and mossgo 'way from here. It's all the real sort o' home I've ever known, and they've been so good to me I'll have to cry when I leave it. You'd let me come here once in awhile, wouldn't Abby was austere and lacking in cor-

As she seemed ready to cry at this moment, Aunt Abby wisely dropped the subject then and there; in fact, she did not allude to it again in

But Aunt Abby carried her point yielded after much more persuasion, and when Aunt Abby's visit terminated poor Chip's few belongings were packed in a new telescope case: she kissed Aunt Mandy, unable to speak, and this tearful parting was repeated at the station with Uncle Jud. When the train had vanished he wiped his eyes on his coat sleeves. drove away disconsolate.

"Curis, curis, how a gal like that un'il work her way into a man's feelin's," he said to himself. "It ain't been three months since I picked her up, 'n' now her goin' away seems like pullin' my heart out."

#### CHAPTER XXII.

Christmas Cove had entered its autumn lethargy when Aunt Abby Bemis and her new protege reached it. Capt. Bemis, who "never had no say 'bout



"Her Goin' Away Seems Like Pullin' My Heart Out."

"I dunno what Judson'll say," returned Aunt Mandy, somewhat sadly, heart-broke. I'm afraid." And so the could not yet feel one spark of afconsultation closed.

ever, a visitor was announced. "Aunt Uncle Jud had often said, yet in realtown, bout a hundred miles from here, school and capable master, its social which she was consigned. She ain't much like Mandy," he added advantages and cultured people, who When Sunday came-a sunless one confidentially to Chip: "she's more boasted a public library and debating with leaden sky and cold wind bearbook larned, so you'll have to mind society, and especially its summer at- ing the ocean's moaning-Chip felt your p's and q's. If ye like, ye can tractions, when a few dozen city peo- herself back at Greenvale with its with me to the station to meet pie sojourned there. Its opportuni- Sundays, for now she was stared at ties for church going also came in for the moment she entered the church. And so it came to pass that a few praise, though if this worthy woman The singing was, of course, of the

"The girl needs religious influence vale.

every chance she can get, and you weeks, emerged white-dusted from the came out-or at least a portion of it. know my ideas about education. For mill to greet the arrivals, and Chip her to stay here, even with schooling was soon installed in a somewhat bare at the Corners, is to let her grow up froom overlooking the cove. Everything like a hoyden. Now what would you seemed slightly chilly to her here, think if I took her back to Christmas | This room, with its four-posted bed, Cove? There is a better school there, blue painted chairs, light blue shades. She will meet and mingle with more and dark blue straw matting, the leafless clms in front, the breeze that swept in from the sea, and even her reception, seemed cool. Her heart "He's got so wonted to her, he'll be was not in it. Try as she would, she fection for this "book larned" Aunt The matter did not end here for Abby, who had already begun to re-Aunt Abby, "sot in her way," as prove her for lapses of speech. It was all so different from the home ity only advocating what she felt was life she had just left; and as Chip Uncle Jud said that day: "she's best for the homeless waif, now began had now begun to notice and feel Mandy's sister, Abigail Bemis, an' she a persuasive campaign. She enlarged trifles, the relations of the peo-Here at Christmas Cove It's a shore on Christmas Cove, its excellent life seemed chilly as the room to

ing as incomprehensible as in Green-

the was not a welcome guest, so and contact with believers, as well as . With her advent at school Monday her as Chip was concerned, wonted as schooling," she said later to Aunt came something of the same trouble friends, the Hopi.

Mandy, "and that must be considered. I met at Greendale, for the master, a Here she can have none, and will weazen, dried-up little old man, who grow up a heathen. I certainly think wore a wig and seemed to exude rules and discipline, lacked the kindly

Chip, almost a mature young lady, was aligned with girls and boys of 'bout," Mandy answered, "an' that's 10 and 12, and once more the same her sense o' obligation. From what shame and humiliation had be enshe's told me, 'twas that that made dured. It wore away in time, howher run away from whar she was, 'n' ever, for she had made almost marshe'd run away from here if she didn't | velous progress under Miss Phinney. Her mind was keen and quick, and once at study again, she astonished

Something of her old fearless selfreliance now came to her aid, also. It had made her dare 60 miles of wilderness alone and helpless, it had spurred her to escape Greenvale and her sense of being a dependent pauper, and now that latent force for good or ill still nerved her. But Christmas Cove did not suit

her. The sea that drew her eyes coated where she lived, was barnlike. and never quite warm enough. The long street she traversed four times daily was bleak and wind-swept. Aunt diality; and Sundays-well, Sundays were Chip's one chief abhorrence.

Another influence - an insidious heart hunger she could not put away -now added to her loneliness in the new life. It carried her thoughts back to the rippled, moonlit lake, where with the others. Uncle Jud consented Ray had picked his banjo and sung very reluctantly, Aunt Mandy also to her; even back to that first night by the camp-fire when she had watched and listened to him in rapt admiration. It thrilled her as naught else could when she recalled the few moments at the lake men, unconscious of the need of restraint, she had let him caress her.

Then the long days of watching for his return were lived over, and the climbed into his old carryall, and one almost ecstatic moment when he had leaped from the stage and over the wall, with no one in sight, while he held her in his arms. And then-and this hurt the most-

that last evening before they were to part again, when beside the firefly-lit mill pond he had the chance to say so much and said-nothing!

It was all a bitter-sweet memory, which she tried to put away forever the night she left Greenvale. She was now Vera Raymond. No one could trace her; and yet, so at odds were her will and her heart, there still lingered the faint hope that Ray would sometime and homehow find her out.

And so, studying faithfully, often lonesome, now and then longing for the bygone days with Ray and Old Cy, and always hoping that she might some time return to Peaceful Valley, Chip passed the winter at Christmas

Something of success came to her through it all. She reached and retained head positions in her classes. A word of praise came occasionally from Mr. Bell. Aunt Abby grew less austere and seemed to have a little pride in her. She became acquainted with other people and in touch with young folks, was invited to parties and sleigh-rides. The vernacular of Tim's Place left her, and even Sundays were less a torture, in fact, almost a pleasure, for then she saw most of the young people she mingled with, and now and then exchanged a bit of gossip.

Her own dress became of more interest to her. Aunt Abby, fortunately for Chip, felt desirous that her ward should appear well, and Chip, thus educated and polished in village life. to a degree at least, fulfilled Aunt Abby's hopes.

Another success also came to her, for handsome as she undeniably was, with her big, appealing eyes, her splendid black hair, and well-rounded form, the young men began to seek her. One became persistent, and when spring had unlocked the long. curved bay once more, Chip had become almost a leader in the little circle of young people.

Her life with those who had taken ter in charge also became more barmonious. In fact, something of affection began to leaven it, for the reason that never once had Aunt Abby questioned Chip as to her past. Aunt Mandy and Uncle Jud had both cautioned her as to its unwisdom, and she was broad and charitable enough to let it remain a closed book until such time as Chip was willing to open it; and for this, more than all else that she received, is bright. I notice she is reading | meals uncomplainingly for three | Chip felt grateful. But one day it

"I suppose you have often wondered where I was born, and who my parents were." Chip said, one Sunday afternoon, when she and Aunt Abby were alone, "and I want to thank you for never asking." And then, omitting much, she briefly outlined her history.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Eating Stew Through Straws. Doing as my Indian friends did, I

seized in my turn a chunk of mutton from the kettle and proceeded to eat it. How I was to get my share of the stew, however, I could not conceive, as licking one's fingers is a slow process and inadequately nourishing. On the floor table, however, was a pile of what looked like dark blue lead pencils. The governor took one, stuck it into the kettle and peacefully sucked until he was satisfied. It was simply sucking-not lemonade-but mutton stew, through a straw. Then he carefully proceeded to eat the straw. Sucking the stew through it had softened and flavored it for eating. I mastered the game at the first trial, writes Frederick Monsen in the Craftsman, and from that time was a devoted adherent to piki bread, as well as to many other dishes and customs of my good

## PERUNA EDITORIAL NO. I.

Dr. Hartman is now offering Peruna to the public as a regular pharmaceutical product. It is just as ethical as any compound put up for the medical profession. No straining of medical ethics can find any fault with it. THE PRINCIPAL ACTIVE INGREDIENTS are prominently incorporated in the label on the bottle, that the people may know that the claims made for Peruna have a true justification.

The only departure we shall make from medical ethics in the conduct of Peruna affairs in the future, is the fact that we shall continue to advertise and sell our product TO THE PEOPLE.

If we would agree to sell to doctors only, to advertise for doctors only, then the medical fraternity would be obliged to recognize Peruna as being entirely within their approval.

BUT WE SHALL NOT DO THIS.

People Who Object to

Now Secure Peruna

Tablets.

Liquid Medicines Can

We shall continue to offer Peruna to the people. We shall continue to convey to the people our claims for Peruna as a household remedy. We shall continue to supply the people with free literature, teaching them how to use our medicine, teaching them how to avoid disease, teaching them many things of benefit to the home. We shall continue to do this, whether the medical profession like it or not.

We are proposing from this time on to take the public into our confidence. Notwithstanding that some imitators and substitutors will be attempting to put up something which they consider just as good as Peruna, we are going to draw aside the veil of secrecy and allow any one who chooses to know exactly OF WHAT PERUNA IS COMPOSED.

This eught to disarm all honest criticism. We expect, however, that criticism will continue. On some pretext or other those who are envious of the

success of Peruna will continue to find fault. But we are determined to give such people no just complaint. PERUNA IS A GREAT MEDICINE It has become a household word in millions of homes. Our faith in the remedy is stronger than ever. Every

year we expect to establish new plants

Some of the choicest lands for grain-growing.

stock raising and mixed farming in the new dis-tricts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have re-tently been Opened for Settlement under the

Revised Homestead Regulations

Entry may now be made by proxy (on certain

conditions), by the father, mother, son, daugh-ter, brother or sister of an intending home-steader. Thousands of homesteads of 100 acres

each are thus now easily available in these

farming sections.

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est grain-growing, stock-raising and mixed

There you will find healthful climate, good

Entry fee in each case is \$10.00. For pamph-

let, "Last Best West," particulars as to rates, routes, best time to go and where to locate,

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neighbors, churches for family worship, schools for your children, good laws, splendid crops,

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in foreign lands until the people of all the world are supplied with this valuable household remedy. WE CLAIM PERUNA TO BE A CATARRH REMEDY. Buy a bottle and try it. If it helps you, be honest and acknowledge that it has helped you.

If you want us to we will publish your statement exactly as you furnish it to us. We will add no words, take away no words. If you wish us to we will publish your portrait in connection with it. We will not do this without your written request, without your entire consent.

Peruna has cured thousands of people of chronic catarrh, in many phases and locations. At least, that is what the people say to us, through unsolicited testimonials. Peruna will cure many thousand more, in spite of fabricated slanders to the contrary.

WE GUARANTEE EVERY BOTTLE OF PERUNA TO CONTAIN THE INGREDIENTS PRINTED ON THE LABEL

We guarantee that every testimonial we use is absolutely true—in the exact language of the testifier. We guarantee that every photograph published is the photograph of the

person whose name it bears, that every word of every testimonial was authorized by the hand that signed it. We are determined to beat our opponents by being fairer than they are, by dealing squarer than they dare to. We are determined to meet falsehood

with truth, duplicity with candor, insincerity with sincerity. We know that the users of Peruna will appreciate our stand. We believe that the dealers in Peruna will applaud our course. We expect even our opponents will be obliged to acknowledge finally that Peruna is not only an honest and useful remedy, but one of the GREATEST HOUSEHOLD MEDI-

He hastens to repentance who hastily judges.—Syrus.

CINES ON THE CONTINENT.

It's the judgment of many smokers that Lewis' Single Binder 5c cigar equals in quality the best 10e eigar.

Some men wear good clothes because they can't afford not to.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE. From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E.W. Grove on box 25c

The day of fortune is like a harvest

day, we must be busy when the corn

is ripe.-Goethe. Wouldn't you like to try Nature's mild laxative, Garfield Tea? Headache Powders and Digestive Tablets also upon request. Send postcard to Garfield Tea Co.,

Brooklyn, N. Y. Their One Meeting. They met by chance; They'd never met before: They met but once, And she was smitten sore. They never met again-Don't care to. I allow: They met but once-

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

The auto and the cow.

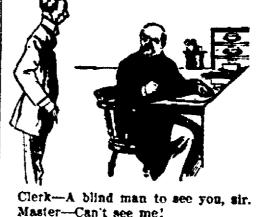
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Couldn't Set Her Back. American ladies, when in England, are the occasion of many jokes, good. bad and indifferent. Here is a recent one, which has for its scene the magnificence of Windsor castle.

Fair American-Butler, any chance to get a glimpse of the queen?" Gentleman Address-I am not the butler. I am the prince of Wales."

Fair American—How lucky! Is your mother in?—Human Life.

OF COURSE NOT.



Master-Can't see me!

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